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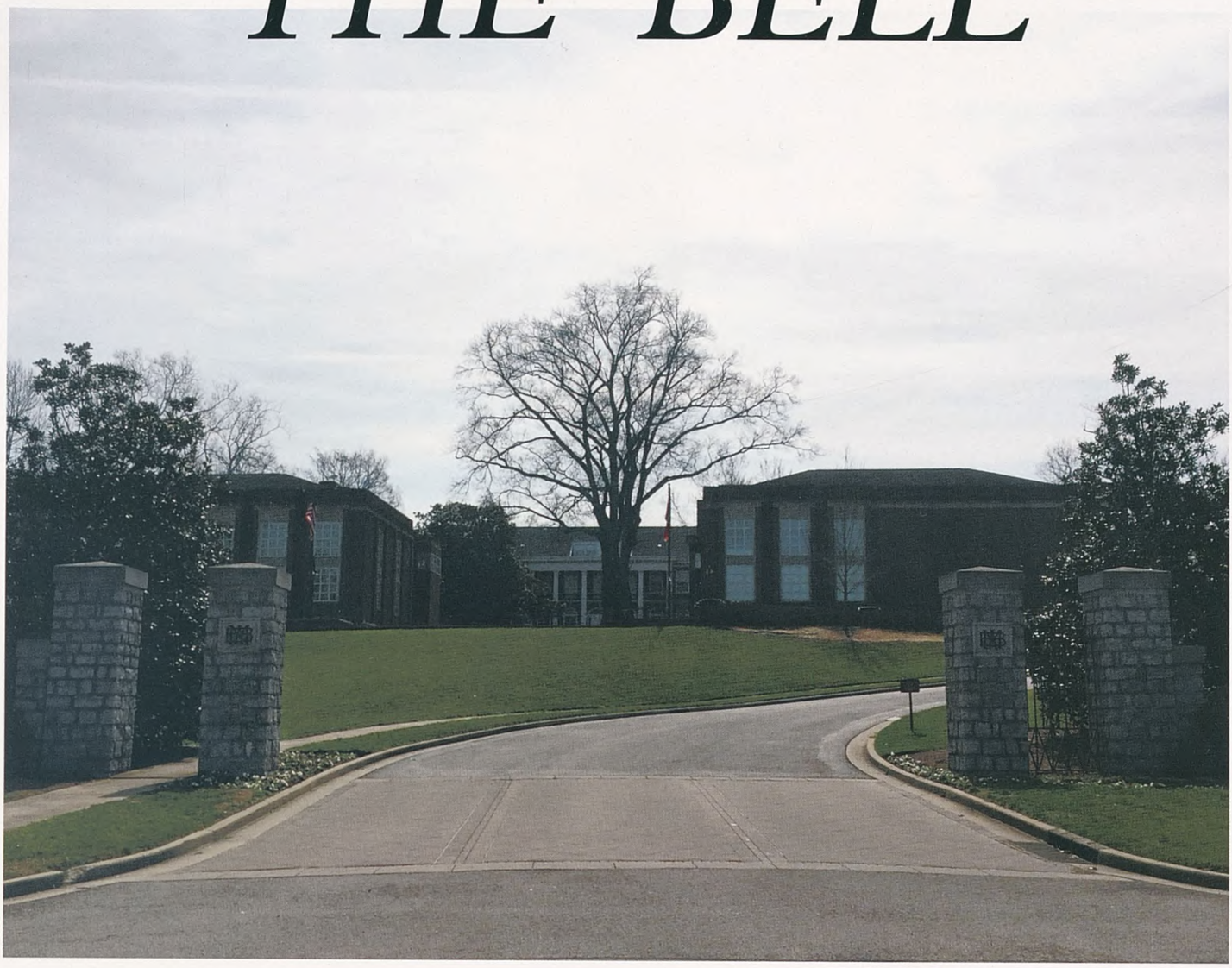

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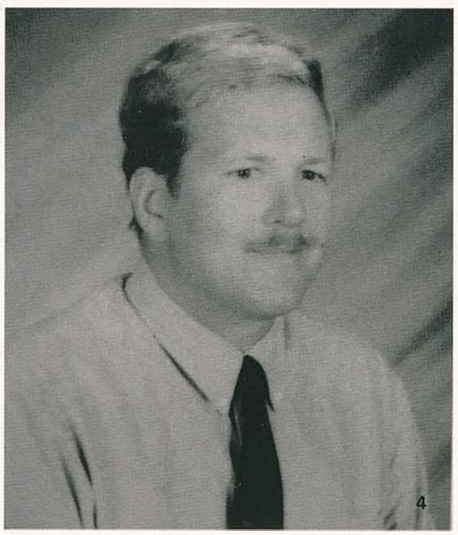
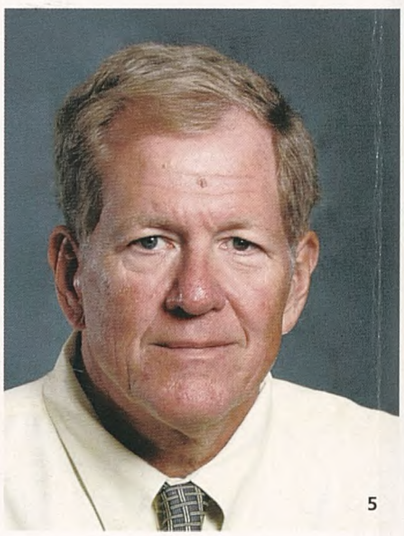
Steve Rundberg

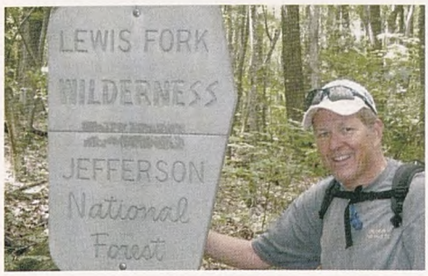
2016 Yearbook Dedication

Since he first started at Montgomery Bell Academy in 1991, Steve Rundberg created his own path. Mr. Rundberg earned his Bachelor of Science degree from Tennessee Tech University and subsequently his Master of Education at Tennessee State University. After arriving on The Hill Mr. Rundberg built a series of music programs both in and outside the classroom. From Rock Band to Cellophony his dedication to working with students to create new avenues for students to perform continues to bring music to the MBA community and beyond. Over the years Mr. Rundberg also served as a swimming, cross country, and track coach in addition to his time in the classroom. Mr. Rundberg is also an avid outdoor enthusiast who has chaperoned many excursions with students including the Out West trip. His marathon running has only increased over the years and he has qualified repeatedly for the Boston Marathon. Yet, above all of these accomplishments the thing that strikes students, faculty, and families the most is Mr. Rundberg's dedication to his students over the years. He has inspired many students to pursue their passion for music and fostered a greater appreciation for the music on campus. His time on The Hill has been a gift to the MBA community and his impact will continue for years to come.





1. Mr. Rundberg has always been willing to help showcase his students talents at a variety of venues including assemblies. 2. During the 2014 Out West trip Mr. Rundberg was able to share his love of the outdoors. 3. During the last concert of his teaching career Mr. Rundberg picked up his saxophone and joined the students. 4. During his early years on The Hill Mr. Rundberg sported a great musache as demonstrated in this picture from 1992. 5. In his photograph from 2015 Mr. Rundberg seems to have not aged during his time at MBA.



On one of his many outdoor adventures Mr. Rundberg visited Jefferson National Forest.

Mr. Rundberg playing his signature saxophone during a performance with a group of teachers and musicians.

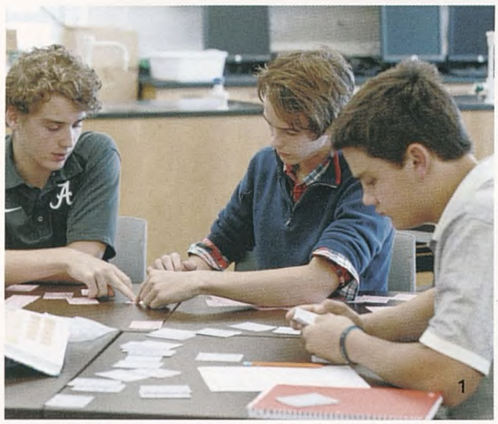
Not even the frozen ground can keep Mr. Rundberg from exploring nature.

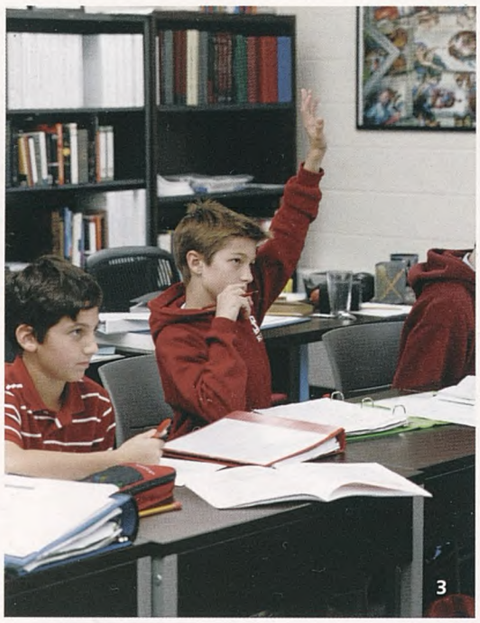
6. Over the years Mr. Rundberg has worked with students in all grade levels in classes ranging from Junior School Jazz Band to the Ellington Band. Here he is working with the Junior School musicians. 7. Mr. Rundberg has always been willing to work with students on and off stage as seen in this performance from 2000. 8. In addition to his great skills as a teacher and musician often it is his great sense of humor that students also remember. 9. During the final spring concert, Mr. Rundberg was presented with flowers from the MBA community as a sign of their appreciation for his years of service. 10. Mr. Rundberg performing with the Rock Band at one of the many football games. 11. Mr. Rundberg during one of the many outdoor performances he brought to MBA's campus.

Life On The Hill

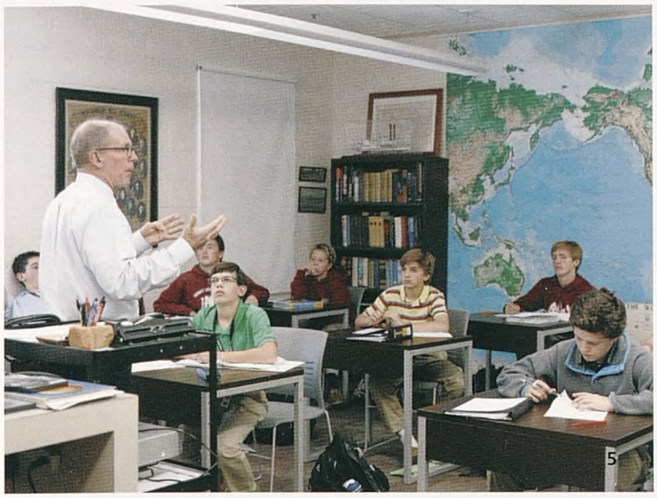
Celebrating 100 Years on The Hill

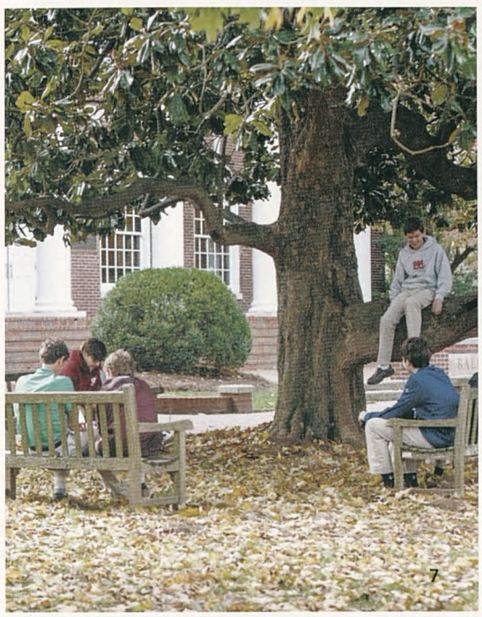
This year marks the 100th year of life on The Hill, although the school is almost 150 years old. Although much has changed on MBA's campus over the last century the sense of comradery and brotherhood remain the same. August 2015 ushered in a new school year complete with the renovated Visual Arts space in the Davis Building and a finishing of the Library renovation after its unexpected water intake last spring. The campus continues to bustle with new students, faculty, and staff including Dr. Boyd taking the reins in the high school. Be it through the smoke from the Grill and Chill club's raging barbecue or over the pages of a much loved novel, such as the one released this year by Dr. Tarkington, students see a community built on brotherhood. The ability to attend a school like MBA is sometimes overshadowed by deadlines and stress but in the end each student knows he is cared for by his family, both at home at at school. On the grounds of this century old campus he has the opportunity to look into the past and see the people who have come before him as well as look ahead to his future will take him.





Feature Image: For the second year in a row, Team Silver hoisted the flag at Field Day. 1. Using tried and true flash cards Tucker Harwell, Owen Hughes, Harrison Graves study for their exam. 2. Students enjoy a nice fall day out on the Quad. 3. Swope Fleming has the answer for this question. 4. Hunt Smith, Charles West, Will Eskew, and Robert Dedman at a lighthouse during their service trip to South Africa.





5. Mr. Brown discusses the nuances of history with his junior school students. 6.After almost a year of planning students take some time to enjoy Endada under sunny skies. 7. Amid the fallen leaves students take some time to study or contemplate the meaning of life a MBA. 8. Felix Arwin focuses his microscope while Caleb Tolbert examines the contents of the slide. 9. Under the expert tutelage of Mr. Lawrence students learn the rules of the game on the extra large chess set.

Collin Ragsale helps serve as a mentor during Time to Rise over the summer.

Prior to the start of their game members of the choir prepare to perform the National Anthem.

Joseph Scowden helps kick of the Second Annual Field Day and also reminded everyone that delicious hamburgers would be available later in the day.

Summer Study

Wilson Grants & Warner Exchanges

Summer 2015 was packed full of several exchanges that took Montgomery Bell Academy students to all corners of the globe. The program sent many seniors and a few juniors around the country and the world The Warner Exchange program graciously gave 26 students the opportunity to travel to other English speaking countries like South Africa, Australia, New Zealand, and England. The Wilson Grant sent 24 students to go to other countries, where the language spoken is not English. The Wilson Grant program flew our students to places such as Peru, Spain, China, France, Germany, Rome, Columbia, Argentina, Ecuador, and Nicaragua. The students went into their trips with a vast amount of knowledge of their language, whether it be Spanish, Chinese, French, German, or Latin; however, on the plane ride back home they were close to fluent in the language. More importantly they learned to experience a new culture with aspects that they never imagined they would experience. This year also marked the second year of the Wilson Grants for studies in other disciplines such as history, art, music, and science. The Warner Exchange also provided the opportunity to have a similar cultural experience, without having to be almost fluent in another language. Students went into their journey not knowing what to expect, but they came out with a new respect for the food, sports, language, and people of their respective destination.

Feature Image: George Lazenby and Alec Whitson took in the sights from the Sydney Harbor including the iconic Opera House. 1. Yavin Alwis in France climbed to Monmartre and looked at the skyline below. 2. Bronson Ingram made a new friend in Melbourne. 3. Davis Voecks had an unexpected visitor during his time in the aviary at the Melbourne Zoo.

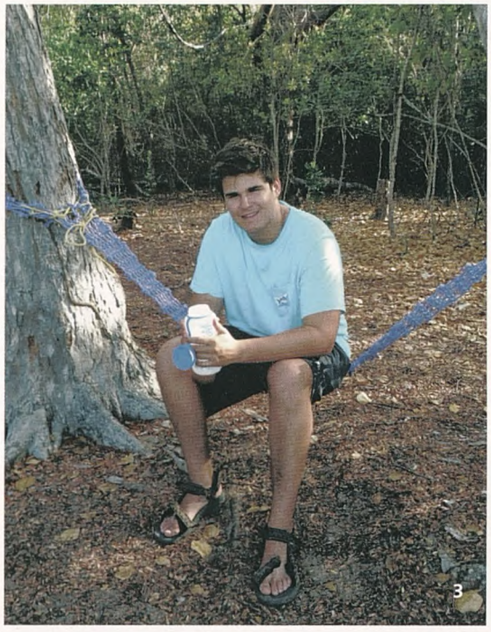
"This photo is of me and one of the few llamas that still lives at Machu Picchu. I am wearing a Peruvian Alpacca sweater at Machu Picchu as well." - Clarke Allen

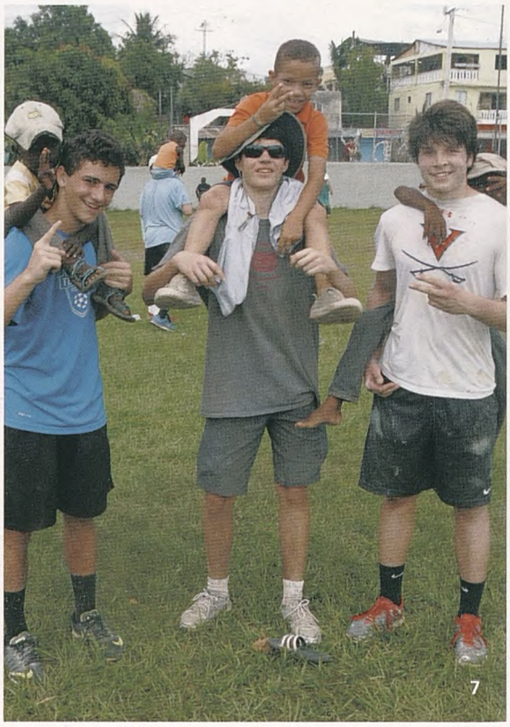
"I went to Melbourne, Australia this past summer, and my favorite part was learning about an entirely new culture." - Chase Meluch

"I studied abroad in Seville, Spain, where I took classes about the Spanish language and culture. I even got to play a sport called Padel." - Chapman Malone

4. Conner Gray in Sydney Australia riding a dirt bike with his host brother Josh in the outback. 5. All four MBA students who went on the Sydney Exchange; Gray Adelman, George Lazenby, Alec Whitson, and Conner Gray; took in an Australian Rules Football game. Here they are posing with the Sydney Swan. 6. Christian Williams is rocking his school uniform at Eton College in front of the original statue of King Henry the Sixth. 7. Davis Covallo is in his casual attire with his exchange host in the beautiful South Africa. 8. D'On Coofer is at a dinner with his exchange family in Bogota, Columbia.

1. The gangs all here in South Africa on a service trip over spring break. 2. Connor Mulloy and Aubrey Greene escape close call with a shark in their banana yellow kayak. 3. Wyeth Patton smiles for the camera while he cools down after a long day during the summer kayaking trip to the Virgin Islands. 4. Mr. Morrison and Mrs. Klausner led this group around all of London over spring break. Here they are stopping outside of St. Paul's Cathedral. 5. Suns out, guns out...at least at this time on the boat. 6. The boys on the kayaking trip show off their new flag. 7.Colin Snell, Jackson Mcfadden, and Watson Dill enjoy the day with the little kids in the Dominican Republic.





On The Road

Students Serving and Seeing the World

Each year students have the opportunity to go on a number of exciting adventures. Students began their excursions over the summer with trips to the Virgin Islands to go kayaking between the islands. These two trips allowed students to travel on the open water and then camp out under the stars. During the school year students went to a variety of destinations. Spring break saw students and their dedicated chaperones departing for the Dominican Republic, London, and South Africa. Students visiting London were treated to an insider's tour led by Mr. Morrison and Mrs. Klausner. Those student traveling to the Dominican Republic with Mr. Norton and Ms. Overton, were able to take in the amazing scenery as well as serve others by helping them build structures that would serve the community for years to come. This year was the first year that students were able to give back by going to South Africa and volunteering while learning about its unique history and culture. This year also saw seniors William Hall and Wes Richardson take a trip to Colombia for a symposium with other students from around the world.

The new telescope donated by MBA, spearheaded by Micahel Owings brought new sghts to the eyes of many.

The backbreaking labor done during the Domincan Republic service trip helps change people's lives.

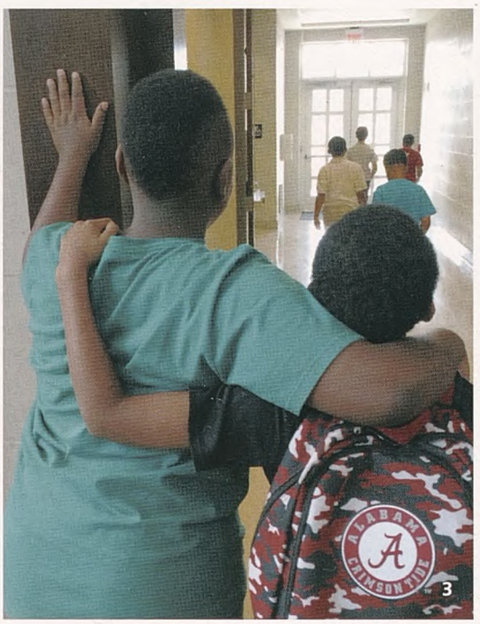
Wes Richardson and William Hall smile for the camera as they experience some of the great Colombian cuisine.

Feature Image. The Domincan Republic trip is always a successful endeavor with a large turnout of students from both MBA and Harpeth Hall. 2. Mr. Smyth, Wes Richardson, and William Hall enjoy the sights in Colombia during the international student symposium. 3. The London crew take a picture with Mr. Hutton's Red Telephone. They took the challenge of how many MBA boys can actually fit into one of the iconic phone booths.

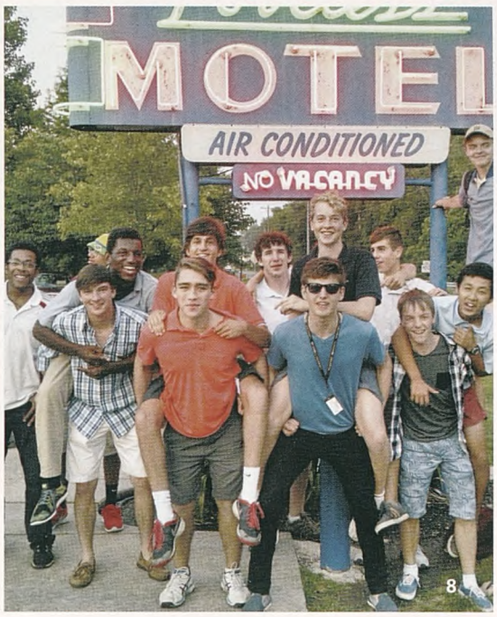
Summer on Campus

Keeping Busy Year Round

The summer before the 2015-2016 school year was packed with events and camps on The Hill. MBA hosted over 130 camps, all of which are put into the categories of sports, enrichment, academic prep, and drivers ed. MBA also hosts a few summer sport leagues, including the biggest summer lacrosse league in the city and the MBA 7v7 summer soccer league. MBA continued to help out with the Time to Rise program, where MBA students serve as mentors for at risk 5th and 6th graders through both academic and athletic programs. One of the highlights on The Hill this summer was the student forum for the International Boys School Conference. MBA had the pleasure of hosting the event again this year, and it was packed with events at MBA and around the greater Nashville area. MBA can only hope that summer 2016 will be as lively as 2015 on The Hill.



Feature Photo. MBA students with their mentee students at a Time to Rise field trip. 1. During the IBSC student forum students took a walking tour of important Civil Rights locations. 2. MBA's lacrosse camp proved to be largest in Nashville this year. 3. Students enjoy their time making friends at Time to Rise. 4. The IBSC student forum allows for boys from around the world to learn from each other through small group discussions like this one.



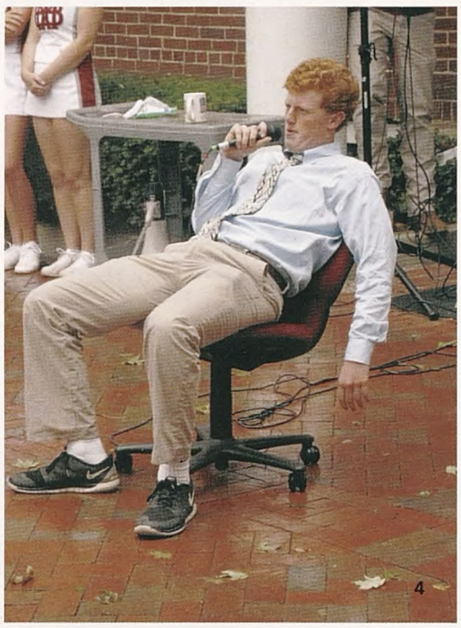
5. Wesley Hall and Palmer Toms serve as the coaching staff during the sports session during Time to Rise. 6. Coach Simpson is in his element teaching some of the campers the nuances of wrestling. 7. Hunter Burch works on driving the ball to the lane during this basketball game. 8. The International Boys School Conference attendees were able to go to the Loveless Cafe and enjoy their famous biscuits. 9. Coach Moran leads the basketball section of Time to Rise to help promote healthy athletics for the kids.

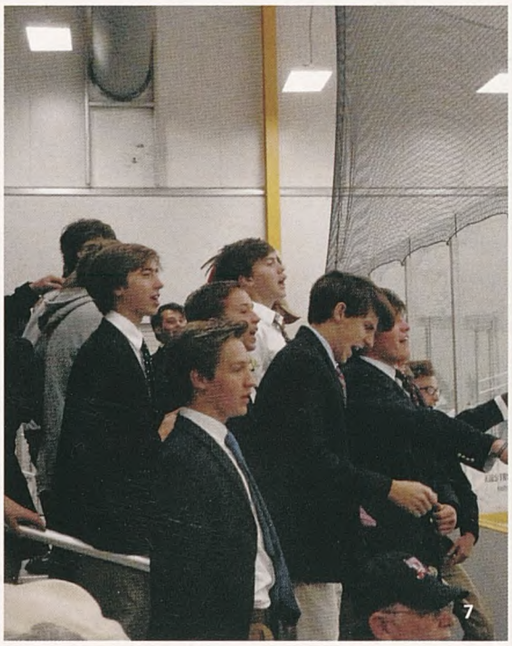
The International Boys School Conference atendees walked around Nashville to experience its culture including this trip to Fort Negley.

Coach Barclay is talking to the students from Time to Rise during one of the sessions on academic preparation.

MBA's summer lacrosse league has been one of the staples for MBA's athletic summer opportunities. It is the biggest in the city and promotes healthy competition and skill building.

1. Will Johnson and Wes Richardson pose for a quick picture before getting back to playing their music to pump up the crowd. 2. The infamous rollercoaster cheer has become somewhat of a tradition after Scott Dalton brought it to MBA many years ago. 3. Packed in tight, the Big Red Sea takes form. 4. Werner Bardshaw shows off his spot on imitation of the mighty Mr.Speigal at one of the many pep rallies this fall. 5. Jordan Turks shows what it means to be a "real" cheerleader with his special moves. 6. Bronson Bell and the rest of the crowd seem excited about something. 7. The Big Red Sea supports the hockey team in their State Championship run.

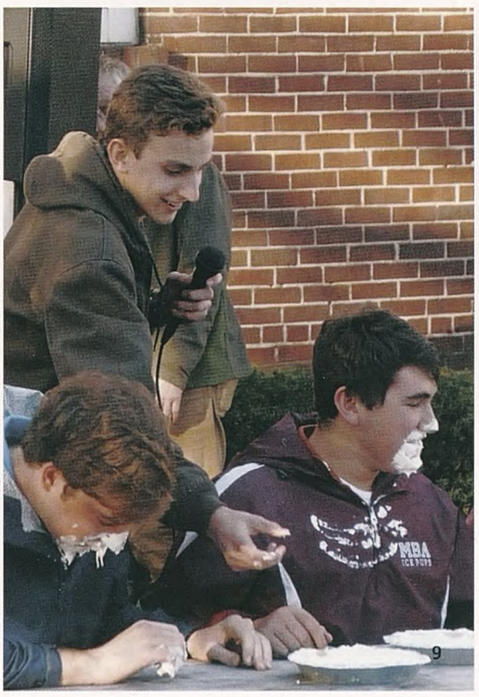




Big Red Sea

Roll Red Roll

Rolling off state championships in football and soccer last year the Big Red Sea knew the importance of being there to support the team. Led by seniors Connor Downey, Adam Young, and many others, this year's captains had what it took to control and organize such a rowdy group of students. Not only was the Big Red Sea there to support the football team, but it showed up to many other sports like soccer, hockey, and lacrosse. Although the final goal for football, hockey, and lacrosse were just one step out of reach, the amount of pride created by such success next year will be MBA's year.



Taylor Asher beats the drum with the help of Alec Whitson. It looks like the drum doesn't stand a chance against these two members of the Big Red Sea.

Benjamin Graves led many chants for the Big Red Sea and held an important role of getting the crowd pumped up.

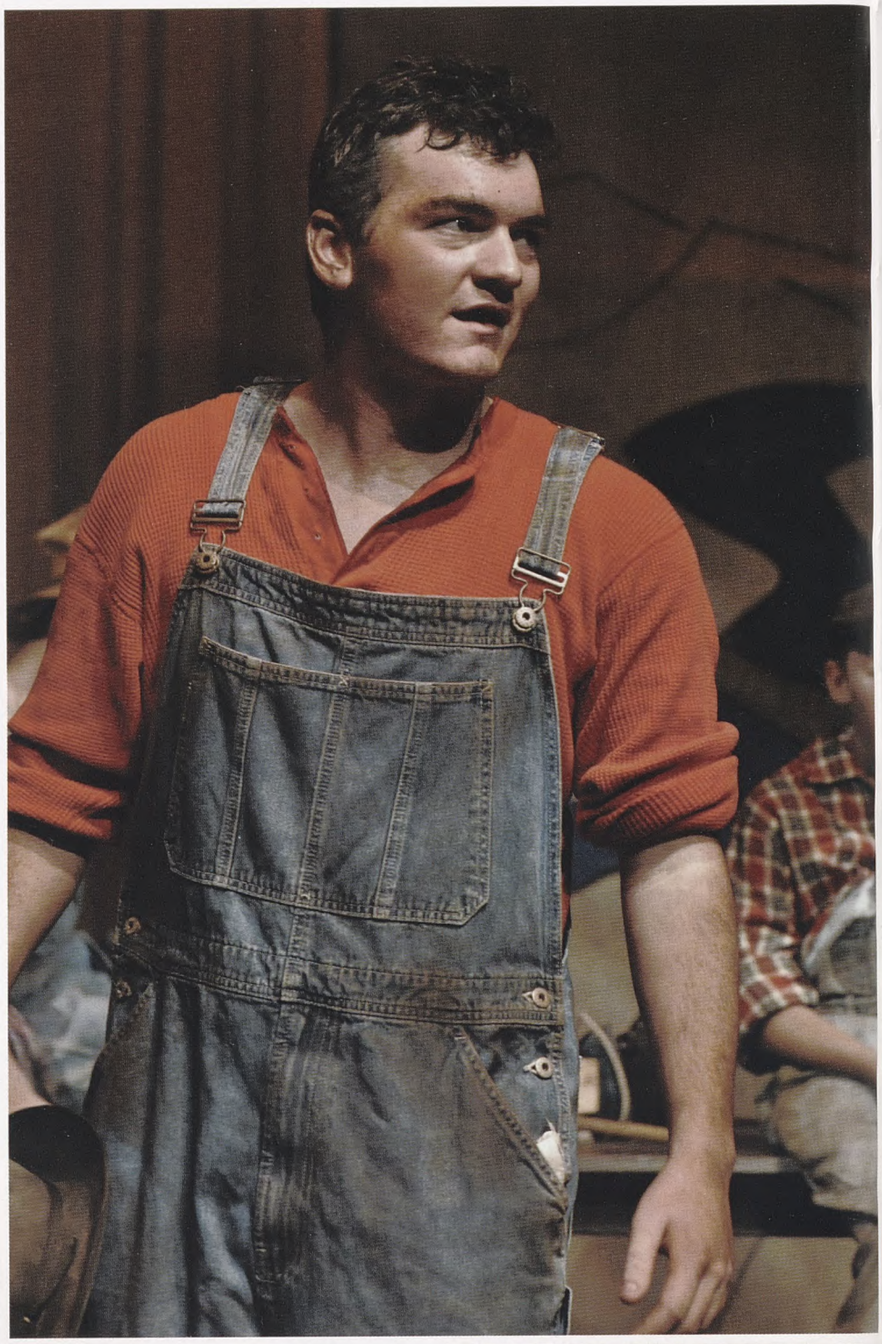
Connor Downer stood before the student population during pep rallies to give the run down and plans for that night's game. Wether it be tropical theme or painting up, Connor had the plan.

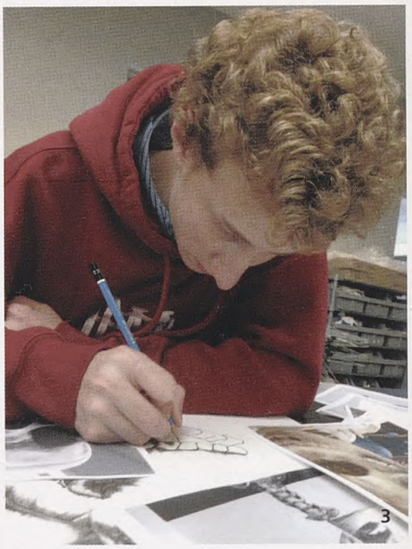
Feature Image. Our fearless leader Ethan Mowery stands tall showing off the stars and the stripes. 1. Nothing beats Perry Matthew's school spirit and Duncan McGinn's smile. 2. Adam Young forces Diggs Truittt to eat his cocunut cream pie during a pep rally, Seniors Win!

Arts on the Hill

The Big Red Shows its Creative Side

Its been a busy year for the MBA arts community as the Visal Arts moved into their newly renovated space in the upstairs of the Davis Building. The new space inspired many students taking art classes to dig deeper into their artistic abilities and expression. Many students received honors for their art pieces in exhibitions around Middle Tennessee. The Theater Department also did tremendous work this year. Starting the year with *Emma! The Pop Musical* at Harpeth Hall, MBA thespians did not disappoint. The energy of the show carried throughout the entire year contributing to the greatness of MBA theater. The Competition One Act, *As I Lay Dying*, directed this year by Dr. Fuller and cast led by senior Tanner McCormick did very well in this years competition. The theater has a bright future showcased by the many young talented actors taking center stage in the competition one act and many other shows. The Music Department produced a myriad of fabulous performances this year. Celebrating Mr. Rundberg's last year on The Hill, the Jazz Band was at full force throughout the year with performances at the Mother-Son breakfast and Spring Concert being just a few highlights. The chorus again won many awards by demonstrating their range of talents. The boys also had the opportunity to play at the Ryman Auditorium this spring in addition to their many performances on and off campus.





Feauture Image: Tanner McCormick in the spotlight for MBA's competition one act As I Laying Dying. For this role Tanner was named to All-Star Cast by the Tennessee Theater Association. 1. Will Renkis demonstrated his acting potential during the Junior School Art Capstone evening this fall which highlighted students' artistic endeavors. 2. Max Davis hits all the notes for his solo during the performance before the Spaghetti Supper. 3. Jackson Satz gets to the fine details in his drawing for Art III.

I have loved all of the Endadas when the entire community comes together and we all have one big art class.

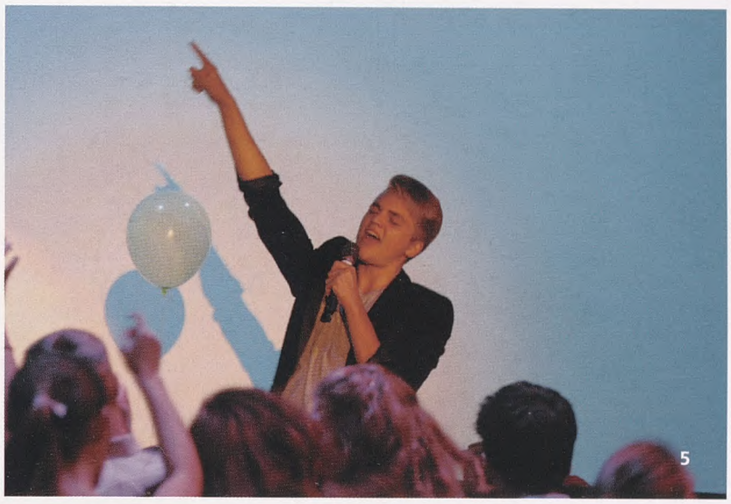
- Cobitt Dicker

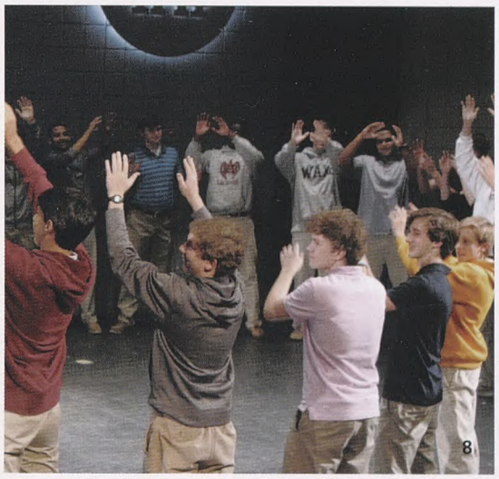
Being able to experience the competition one acts and the success we had with The Elephant Man.

- Drew Gordon

Mr. Rundberg has made my music experience awesome. I have also enjoyed Cellophany so much.

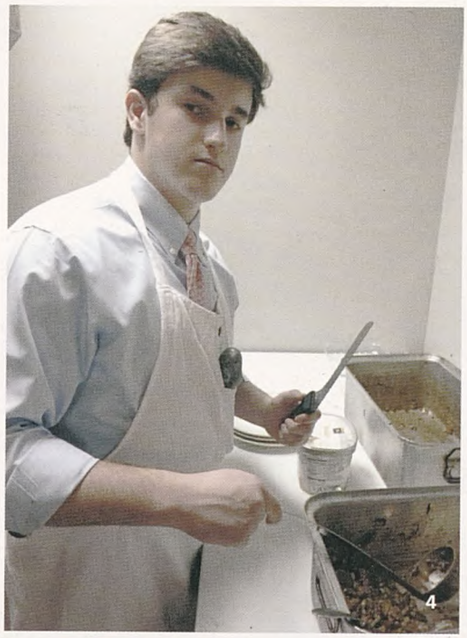
- Rueben Dockery





4. Matthew Bulow creates a masterpiece with soft pastel in his Art II class. 5. Jackson Wooten, also known as Frenkie Churchill, rocks the musical *Emma! A Pop Musical*. 6. Music in the Quad is a highlight in both the fall and spring. 7. Bryce Ardisson tends to his award winning sculpture with great care. 8. This fall Dr. William Westney came to campus and in addition to performing and hosting an "Un-Master Class" he worked with studetns at all grade levels to help them find success through the "perfect wrong note." 9. The Headmaster SIngers prformed at a number of functions this year including the chef dinners.

1. Yavin Alwis and Thomas Neff help prepare trays of cookies and biscuits for the Loaves and Fishes service. 2. Drew Gordon, Hudson Coombs, and Tanner McCormick are ready for a day with The Bard during Shakespeare-a-thon to raise money for both Endada and the Nashville Shakespeare Festival. 3. Phelps Gambill and his fiend after Phelps gave a moving speach about his experience with Best Buddies. Phelps also received the "Impact of the Year Award" for his continued outreach with the program. 4. Asher Curnutte prepares to serve a fine meal at the Last Saturday Dinner. 5. Students work to build a wall to help those in the Dominican Republic during spring break.



6. The boys were out bright and early to volunteer and run in the annual Race for the Cure. 7. Bryan Taylor, Joe Moxley, and Brenden Harris are getting ready to help with clean up after the service of another successful Loaves and Fishes meal.

Giving Back

Serving Others on and off The Hill

Year after year MBA is always giving back to the community. From Best Buddies to Shakspearathon, students work hard to make the greater Middle Tennessee a better place. Inspired by Service Club President Troy Jiang, the Big Red consistently produced big groups for important projects. Hightlights of this year's service iclude MBA's domination in Race for the Cure donations and the Dominican Republic trip during spring break. This year also saw the continued support for programs like Preston Taylor Tutoring, Loaves and Fishes, Second Harvest, and Last Saturday Dinners as well as the addition of the Just Glass recycling drive.

The fearless President of the Service Club Troy Jiang speaks to Captain Norton, probably asking for more service projects to be resonsible to complete.

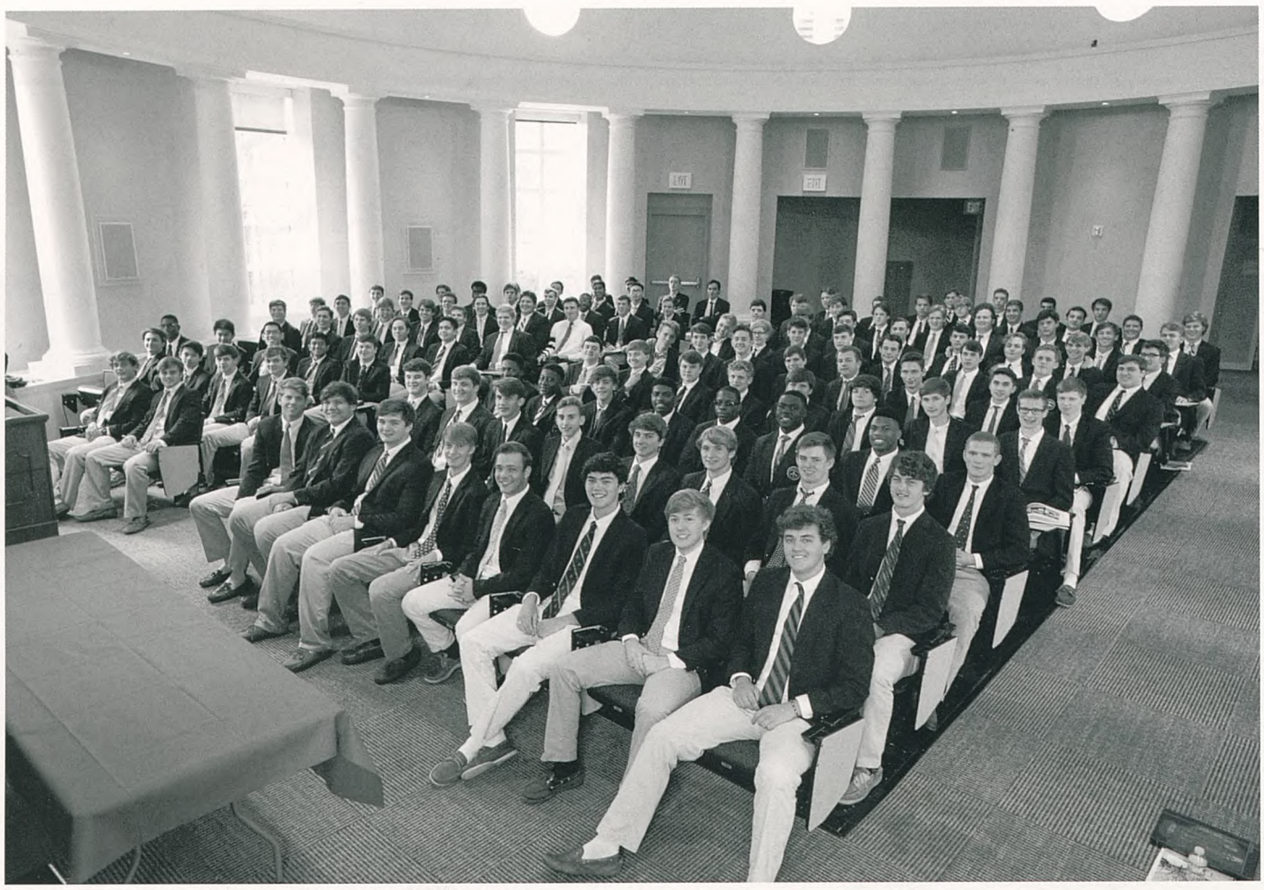
Mr. Morrison's class goes outside to participate in the Shakespearathon. A great tradition of MBA and a favorite of one of our favorite Englishman.

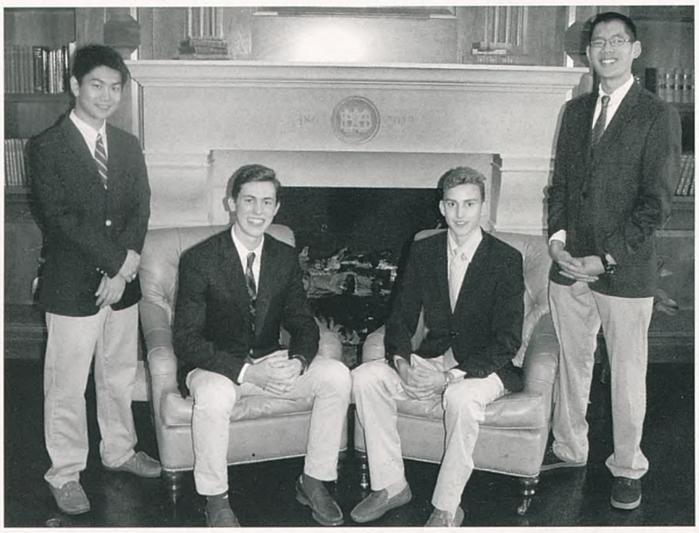
John Fioravanti and Nolan Spear wake up at the crack of dawn to help out with the Richland Creek Run.

Feature Image. The Best Buddies Football Tailgate hosted in the student center with the help of Father Ryan HIgh School and Saint Cecilia Academy. 8. This group looks ready to do some serious work with their big tools. 9. Some good looking juniors cook out for a good cause with Last Sturday Dinners.

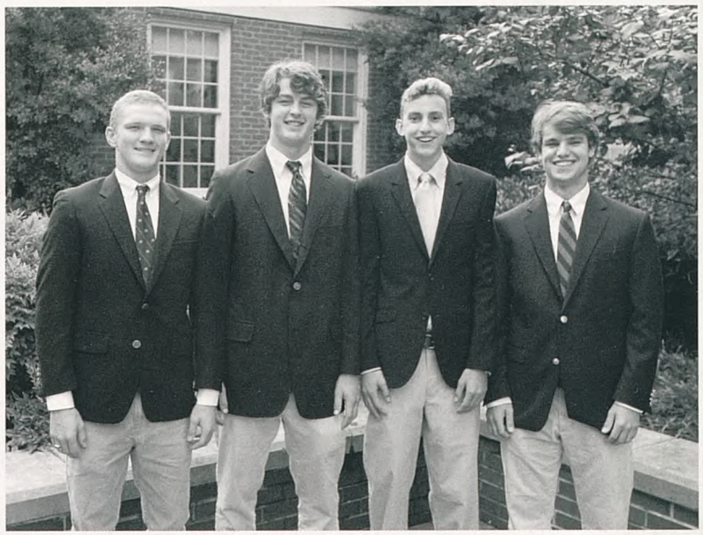
Class of 2016

College T-Shirt Day

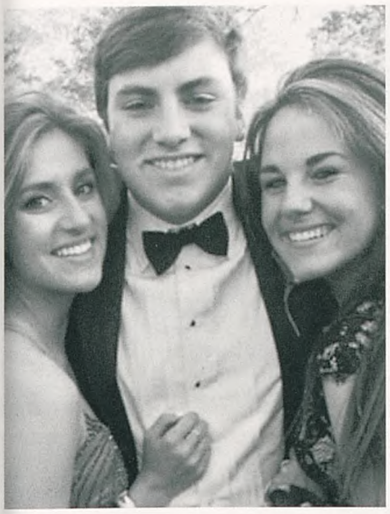


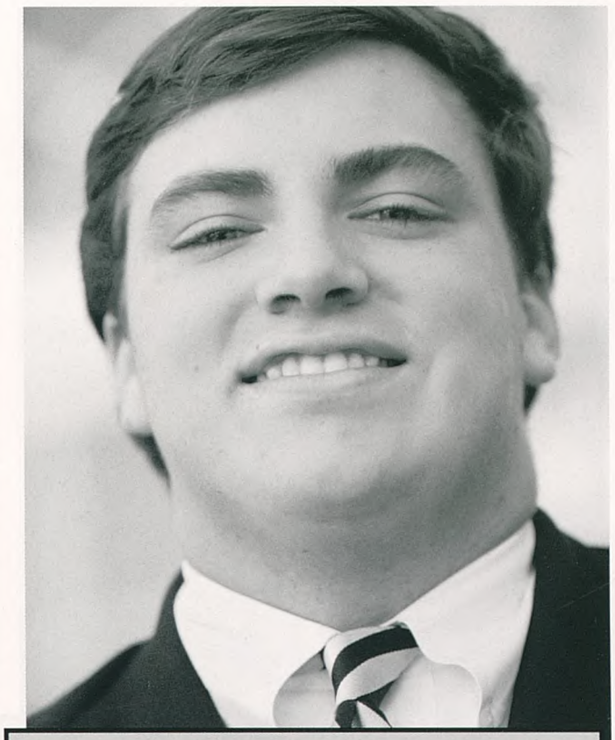


Senior Leadership: Troy Jiang, Service Club; Will Eskew, Honor Council; Adam Young, Senior Class; and Andy Zhu, Student Council

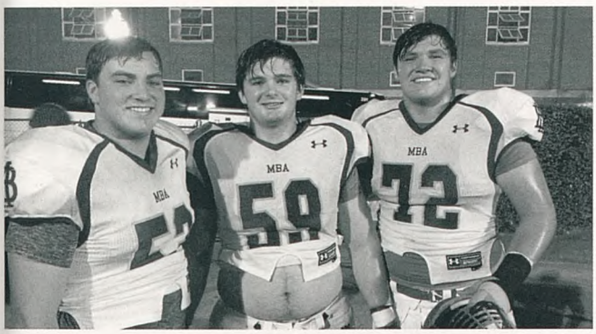


Class Officers: Mark Floyd, Vice-President; Clarke Allen, Treasurer; Adam Young, President; and Alex Stevens, Secretary





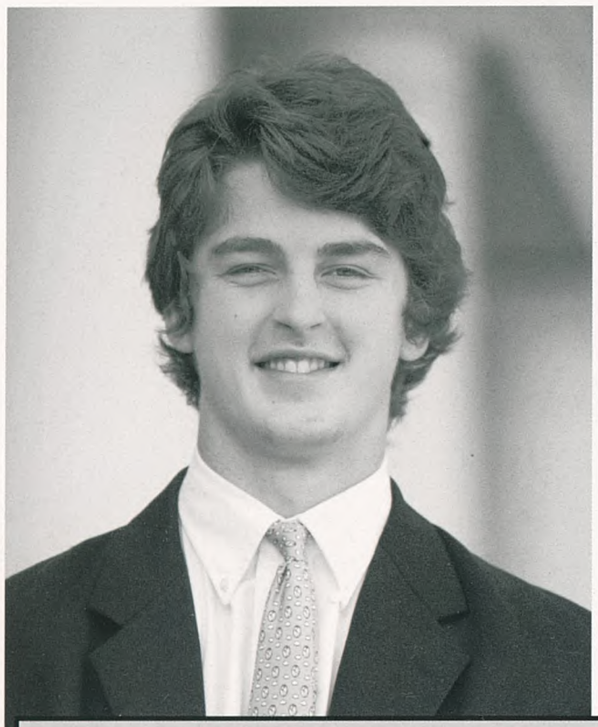
Gray Adelman



Baseball(7th-10th)
Basketball(7th-9th)
Football(7th-12th)
Honor Council Member (8th-12th)

My Boys: Pookie, Whitty, Smitty, Carl, Graavez, Rusty, Dave, Broggs, Hwach, Chaz, Big John, Trasher, Kong, Shrew, Downey, Theo, Hugo, Cornel White Tahoe; DR. B; "You're writing seems faint"; Australopithecus; "Hey Bear"; Stapler KP; Mitosis; Mrs. Qian's Class; Part A; uhhhh what's up??; "What're You DOING?!?!?!"; Sultan Adelman Kaprulu; Tark's Class; Smitty's Basement; Rusty's Farm; Golf Course got me; Bell Buckle; Bran and Maggs; Gmoney Advisory; Chase's many loves; "Turn off the iPAD!"; Chicken minis; "get outta your mind"; Beats pill; who is irrigating their mouth?; soak wet; polar plunge; Freezing Bondi swim in Australia; Hey Hey Hey King's School; You know who else likes OU Russ; FPC Church ball; Name Game; Dawgggs on Toppp; State champs; Guy Fieri Night; Goofy Montai; Ray Charles; Clarence Macgillycuddy; You PC bro?; 5325 guy fieri road; the hat; DOTA; show smith how you sleep sometimes; Thunderstruck; pookie bear; Rock Island; Werner's Lakehouse; Roche; Search +320+; rip some ched bro; paucity of chicken nuggets; Adelmans; swing dancing; Yo bref stank; Kanye fingers; haha wooooorrrddd; satco; mcdougals; late night mcdanks; HH roof; 1024 at Scotts house; stoogie night; Biggest and baddest punter in the state; space cadet; HEY ROBERT; BOIIIIII;

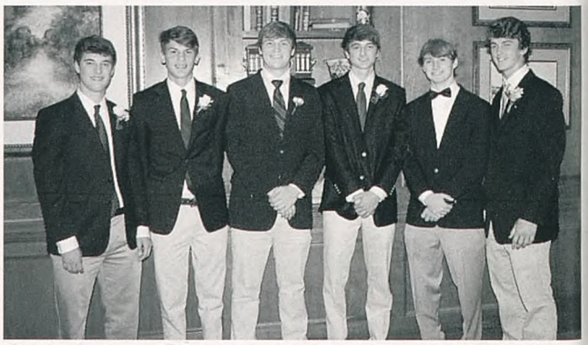
Thanks to all my teachers:
GOGO- You brought the HEAT EVERY DAY!!!!
Tark- You're class was always a relaxing place and honestly my favorite at MBA
Dr. Boyd.- Despite our differences regarding the leadership of the Ottoman empire, Your class was another all time favorite
Mrs Qian- Your class was insanely hard, but I'm glad I had the most legendary teacher at MBA
Mrs. Howell, Powers, and Guye- Thank Y'all for being second Moms for the past 4 years
Coach Eu, Brown, Barclay, Chauvin, Brock- Love You guys...true family
Mr. Gioia- Sir It's been a great 4 years and I'm glad I had the smartest and nicest man I know to lead me through my high school years!



Clarke Allen

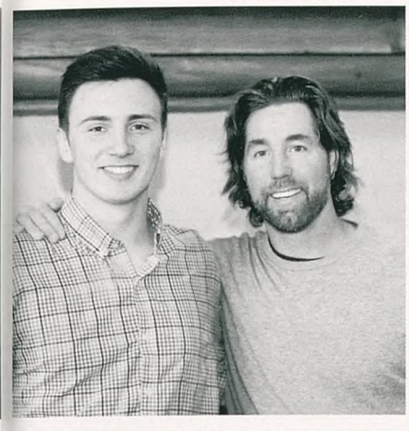
MBA football (9-12) state champs; MBA basketball (9-12)

Study abroad in Peru/ MMLA in California; Founder of MBA Partner Dance Club; Junior Honor Society; Spanish Honor Society; Stock Market Club; Class Treasurer 11-12; What is Excellence?; Reflection in Mrs Yu's class; Coach Pettus JP2 pep talk; stairs at Percy Warner; Bell Buckle shaved head; Mr Norton's history class; Pr. agua; Mr. Berry's class; "I am your teacher, not your friend"; Chase Meluch; Harpeth Hall dodgeball champions; AFTFK; Father Ryan game winner/ gorilla celebration; Coach Mac- know your role; red clarks; Webkinz speech; Mr. Narwhal; Coach Lanier's nicknames; Mr. Dinkleberg with Diggs Truitt; Hufflepuff with Dr. Boyd; Rock; Graduation of class of 2014; Guarding Jermaine Francis; Dairy Queen with Parker; Planning prom with Adam; Apollo win with Carson; Dance Club- dile el amor; MMLA- D'on's shades; Troy's back massages; Coach Go's invigorations; Coach Brown short yard; Dancing in the Park; 11/10/15 first day Coach Chauvin complemented me; Paolicchi rips; Coach Anglin's terrible jokes; Diddy Kong with Will Emerson; Pre game Mario Kart; Chapman's determination; Swing dance in the quad; Jim Garrett and his injuries; AP bio with Oronde; 8th period study hall squad; Halloween Dance; New Year's 2015;



Thanks to my parents, brother, and coaches for picking me up when I needed it. Special thanks to Coach Brock and Coach Chauvin for the love and support they gave me always. Lastly, thanks to my friends for always reminding me I am far from perfect.

"Emotion runs out, but determination lasts till the end"



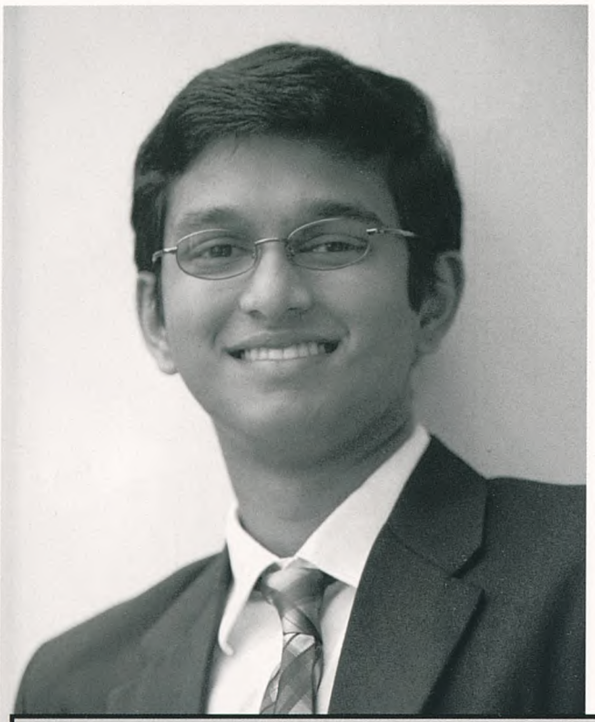
Will Allen

Baseball team; workouts; Wilson language grant to France; MMLA at Swarthmore; French Club; MBA Orchestra; Spring break baseball trip to Orlando; Homework

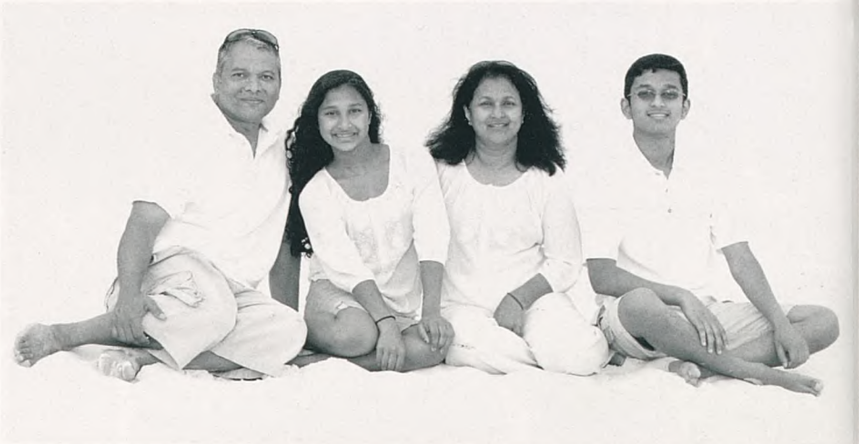
Tommy John; Baseball Think Tank; Bronson's subs; #TheGut; Camo Can; Post SCA Prom Waffle House; Joe Noser's basement; End of Junior year lake trip; Fairview; What are the odds; Orchestra with Chuck, Scow, Ben, Diego, and Will Evans; The Barbershop Quartet; Les soriées avec Martin; Bear Grylls; Bear Grylls pt. 2; Bear Grylls pt. 3 (yes, you, Scow)

I would like to thank my parents for pushing me towards MBA and giving me all the opportunities in the world, Alex for always keeping me alert, Coach Anderson for helping me with college, pushing me athletically, and teaching me about responsibility and what it takes to be a man, M. Trotter for always challenging me to do my best, Mr. Merideth for creating a fun learning environment, Mr. Davidson for being the chillest advisor around, Dr. Tarkington, Mr. Hutton, and Dr. Kinch for teaching me how to write, Bronson, Hunter, Charlie, and Scow for helping me assimilate into MBA as a Sophomore.

"Think off-center" - George Carlin



Yavin Alwis

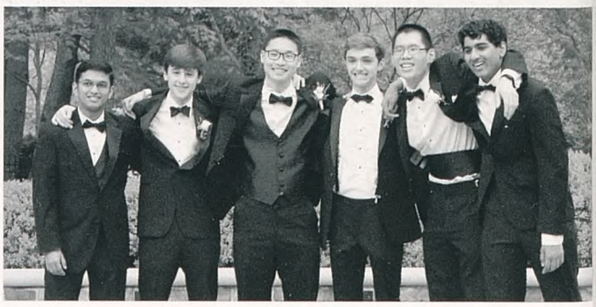


MathCounts (8), Math Team (8-12), Debate (9-11), French Club (9-12), Science Olympiad (10-12), Riddler's Club (10-12), Quiz Bowl (11), Cum Laude Society (11-12), Tennis (12), Ultimate Frisbee (12)

8th Grade: Who is Rishi?; Murshaq; Das pretty neat!; Latin I with Dr. Seay; Coach Russ's advisory; Cold pizza; 9th Grade: Founding Father of the Hutton advisory; Red Telephone; Coyotes; "He falls not badly who rises stronger from the fall"; Postprandial naps; French in Action; Swarthmore MMLA; 10th Grade: Sugar and Sulfuric Acid; Get a room (Cameron and Jay); Playing Golf in Moxley's class; Not Part of This System; An incredible six weeks in France; RIP; Tony's Chemistry medal; A valuable class about B-52 bombers;11th Grade: Double time with Bill Compton; "I believe in the chain rule"; Karel J. Robot; "Look, there's two of them!" – Mr. Kelly; Le seul étudiant français; Agar.io; Road to Global; "It's Pheesics man!"; Rishi, the facilitator; Illuminati #; "Chase is a witch!"; Diplomacy champion; 12th Grade: This is it, boys; Feels good man; Harvard Medical Internship; Demeke Admasu Wondmagegn; Dr. Lech's daily discussions; Andy, te amo; 11; So chill Palmore; "Wish you had read?"; Cracking Jackson's RNG; Dr. Marro's generous grading curve; #GG; Ultimate is fun;

Thank you to my parents for putting up with me for the past seventeen years. You have pushed me to work hard and have always been there for me no matter what. I know it has been a high maintenance job, but you did it well and I wouldn't be here with out you.
Next, to my friends. Thank you for making my experience at MBA enjoyable. Without all of you, let's be honest, MBA would have been pretty miserable.
Lastly, to my teachers. Thank you to my math and science teachers for further expanding my interests in subjects I naturally enjoy; my English teachers, for somehow helping me appreciate a subject I thought I didn't like; and Mr. Kelly and Dr. Boyd, for being the two greatest, most engaging teachers I've ever had.

"If you feel like Yavin a good time, I'll Alwis be around." -YavStar Ballwis



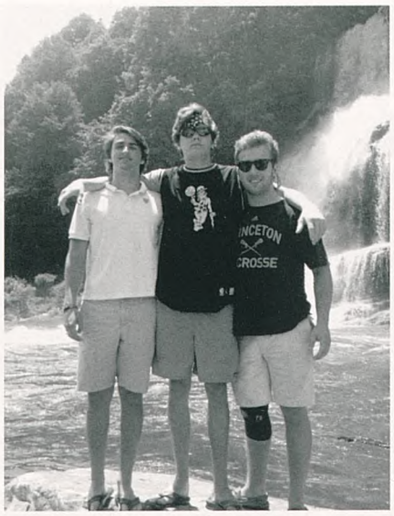
Sam Anderson

JV Golf 10,12
Trap and Skeet 10,11

Thank you to the many outstanding teachers I have had over the years at MBA, especially Mr. Tillman and Dr. Dickens.

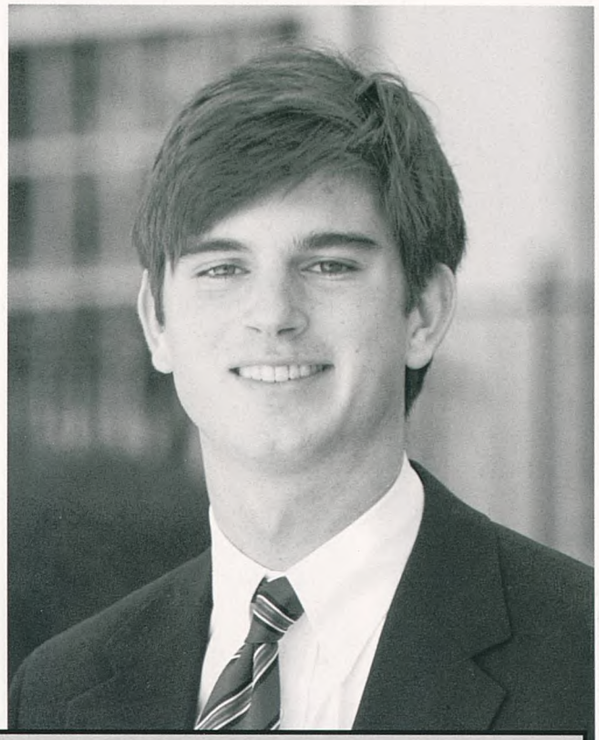
"It is by doing anything that we become anyone." Remi Gallard

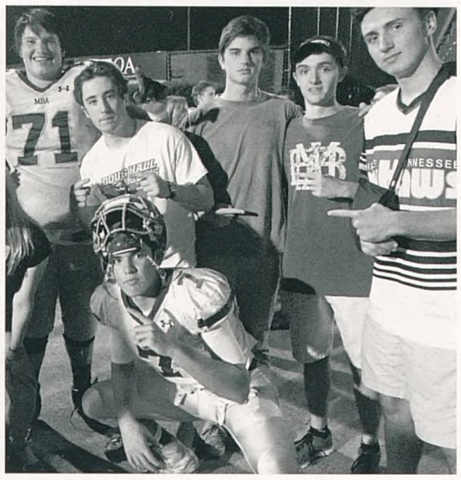
Taylor Asher



Lacrosse Varsity 4x; McCallie Freshman year; Football 2x; BA Sophomore year; Wrestling 8th grade; MLK Society; Harvey advisory; McGuginites; The Green Hills Mall; D-Bish tradish; Ehud AZA; Grant and Blake; Sam Biondini; Jack Ball before Pruitts; John making the car dance; No Excuse; Rooming with Pete; "Go get Hannah"; Nov. 2 Freshman; Graffiti City; 8th grade SB; Cops and Robbers; Zombies; Talks with Whitty SB; 2:30 Crew; Farm Parties; Hey bear, get away from my family; Stapler KP; Psagarym Serym; Peter convincing me to play lax; Kings Island; Michelangelo's; Remembering RI; Taco Bell; Morning After; Israel; 4th of July; Libby; Fuze Tea; One night in PC; Pat Os wandering; Lyme; Build the Monster; Bassnectar; Ensworth Winter Formal; BA Game Junior Year; Dr. Seay; Athens AZA; Perchi; Another Beautiful Day at Camp Kawaga; Zhang Laoshi; Pulling at Daves; 2872 Brookfield dr; 04 Honda Pilot; Shoutout to Whitty; Soup Kitchen; It's in your notes; Chaz's confidence; 8th Grade Moran; Deutsch 10th Grade; Not Pulling up till Dolphins are saved; The Return of Melvin Doo; Rocking Roll; BRC; Getting Wrecked in Mock Trial; Vice President; Getting kicked out of Office; Russells Farm; Werner's Lake House; Sam's black futon out; Natty Patties; HHall Sporting Events; Homecoming Robe; The Walk from Ann Scott's to John's; dancing by myself; "Drew your pants are on fire"; Roche; Not apart of 5325; Jack fireman carry; Thursday Night Football; "Ben, you got iced"; The Wise's couch; Analise's pool house; fight night; Bar Mitzvah; Code- 8th Grade; Live and let live; "to life"; Don't Cry because it's over, smile because it happened; Ronstiglioni; "Let's just get it over with"- Phelps; Thunderstruck; "If you think you are going to sleep"; "Did Alex's dad paint that"; Rack City; the Dog Pound; DAVEEE; Eye, there's the dave; Methotrexate; Dr. Seay, I'll never forget you standing up for me; Mother and Father, thank you for everything; it has been a rollercoaster; Roll Red or go to bed

"If there is no struggle, there is no progress"- Frederick Douglass



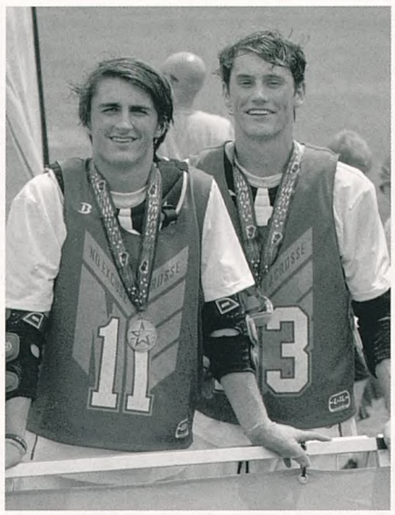


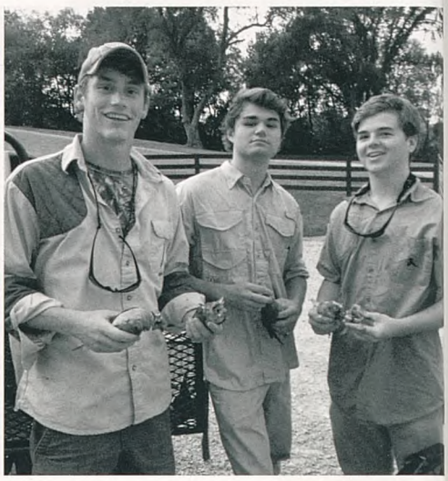
Charlie Bailey

Monumental nights; room 101; falco; club estes; pumpkin pancakes; she's a brick wall; what are do?; zeeero; that's the 4 answer; Chuuuuck; so many tacticals; gold digger; hippo pond; Cole's sass; marathon; camo can; cold room; thunder twonk; Lebanon; Jojo tag; what are the odds?; #thegut; Boiiiiiii; study hall pizza; orchestra; Bear Grills (Seasons 1-3 and directors cut); JEFF the Brotherhood and Diarrhea Planet; Dr. Dog; Live on the Green; Endada; Cafe Coco; J-roc; "no one I think is in my tree"; Norm and Tina; Wiesbaden; Dani's gummies; Wild Herr; Niko and Tobi; pool spielen in the secret room; squad; Sugartree pool; Sewanee and the Gizzard; halloween dad; "Carry on"; long runs (walks); filming lunges; snowed in for Mardi Gras; greep; "khat is my brother"; Ava the Avalon; "Is it weird having your dad as a teacher?" "no"

I'd like to thank my parents, teachers, coaches, and friends for supporting me these past six years. I am especially grateful for Coach K, Herr Dougherty, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Merideth, Dr. Carro, Mrs. Palmore, Dr. Tarkington, Mr. Womack, and Dr. Seay who have challenged me and helped me grow as a person.

Will Beasley

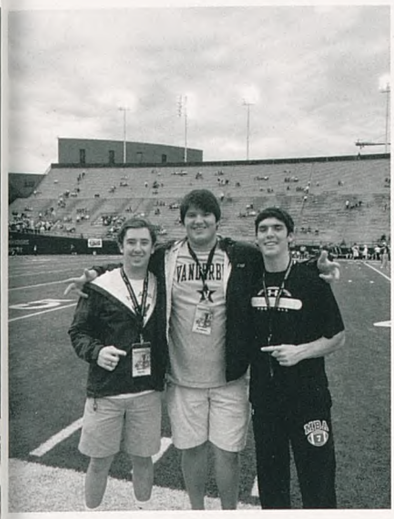


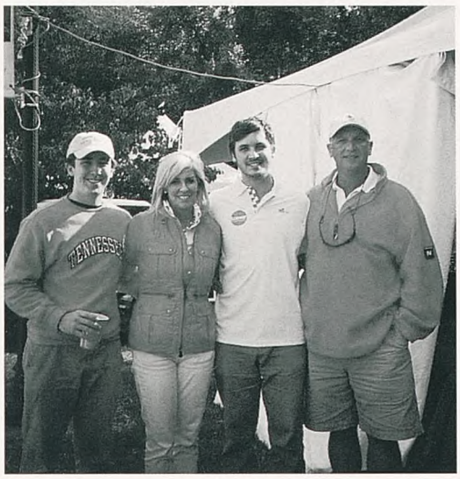


I came to MBA in 9th grade from Harding Academy (Generals for life). I was on crutches for the majority of my freshman year because I had to get knee surgery. I played varsity lacrosse and varsity hockey my Sophomore, Junior, and Senior year. My senior year I was on the spirit club committee and I was the assistant captain of the hockey team.

Nothing was better than a day in math class with Coach Deutsch. He was full of inspirational, motivational, and hilarious stories that would always help me get through the day. His "patty melt" story gets me every time. During senior year, we would grill out in the parking lot for breakfast. It was nice to get to mingle with my fellow brothers before school, jamming to some tunes (special thanks to Dale for bringing his diesel). Mr. Pruitt's Biology class freshman year was a highlight of my career. Sam Smith and I spent multiple class periods in the "black hole" after somehow getting in trouble. I was never a true part of the 2:30 crew but I did my best to help them out. I will never forget the Rock Island adventures and Bingo Night in Sea Island with Billy Bingo. We can all agree that Rusty has always had a crush on Jimmy Buffet. I'll miss jamming to some Oldies at the "Last Resort" and I'll forever miss "Jahzz". I look forward to many more RI trips with my boys. RIP Carl, Murky, and 5325.

I'd like to thank my family, friends, teachers, coaches, and mentors. I have created deep relationships with many of my teachers, and they have all been very understanding and helpful. I'd like to give a special thanks to graves for making me look smart, and to swhitty for always being swhitty. I'd like to thanks all my friends for being goofy and entertaining. I'd like to thank my mom and my dad for everything they have done. They have been there for me every step of the way, I love you Mom and Dad. Roll Red





Bronson Bell

Tobi chill seshes; St. Croix Destin; Mystery of Club Estes; Rooney; Sewanee/Fiery Gizzard; Live on the Green; Pop's store sophomore year; Leb'non jokes; watching football at KP's; #thegut; Watching Scow Eat; Scow's Fairview "friends"; Scow's Troop; The Tater Challenge; "BOI"; "You lookin' like..."; "What are the odds?"; SOUPY CHEESE; Bonfires at Goofy Gaw's/Dbooty's; Student Section/painting up for Grant; Bruce "The Godfather" Green; Road Trips to 2014 and 2015 State Championship Games; New Dining Hall; The Marathon; Cole's Hippo Pond; Cole's sass; Julius House at Christ's College; Hunter and Angus McKenzie; "running" track; Shot with KP, Scow, and Phelps; Winning tug-of-war; Advisory with Eskew, BoominNoonan, Rueb, and Harrison; Strength&Co with Dcav and Hkam; Model UN with Charlie and Hunter; GREEP; dodgeball tournaments at HH; "fighting" Yoder; Saturday two-hand-touch; Talladega; Vols and Titans never being good; Mcdougals; El Stuffed Pepper; The Cookout; Halloween dad; the dad persona; St.Dr.LordSpaceBear; Kentucky Challenge with Dcav; Gamecube Street Football at Eskew's; Madden Fridays at Cole's; Hippo Crew

Thank you Momma and Daddy for the constant support and pushing me to better myself with an MBA education. Thank you Weston for always helping me with homework, making me laugh, and being a great brother. Thank you Mama Bell, Daddy Bell, and Nana for the love you've shown me throughout my MBA journey. Thank you Aunt Jane for being like a mother away from home every weekend.

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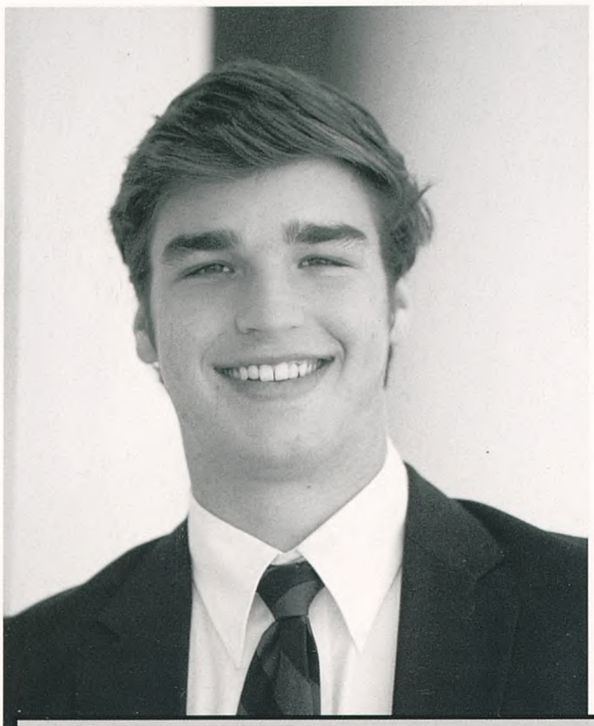
Thank you Dr. Kinch, Dr. Carro, and Herr Dougherty for pushing me past my own expectations and challenging me in the classroom. Thank you Herr again for not only being a great teacher, but also a great friend.

"No, these six years have not flown by" - Bronson Bell (November 23, 2015)



Brandon Bennett

Cross Country (7-11); Wrestling (7-8); Baseball (7-12); FCA; Best Buddies; Soup Kitchen; SYLO; English Wilson Grant; Red Poet's Society

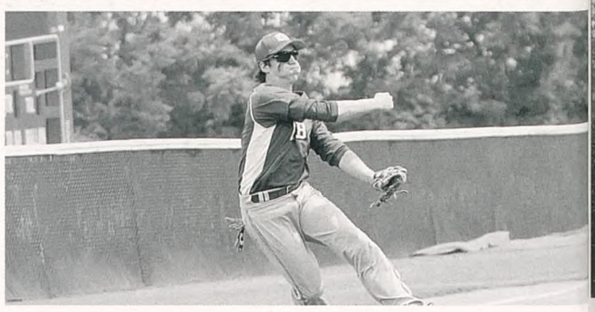
Owling; locker room chants @Chaz; crying in math and spanish; don't be a turd; pythagorean theorem; which Mr. Norton?; Sancho Quixote; tiny; icy hot in biology; barret; literally who are you; Crag & Greg; BDS; West Virginia; hillbilly Dora; don't believe me just jahz; good better best; rally lobster; sútil; it's all on you, Downey; eskimos; don't be belligerent; chicken patty day

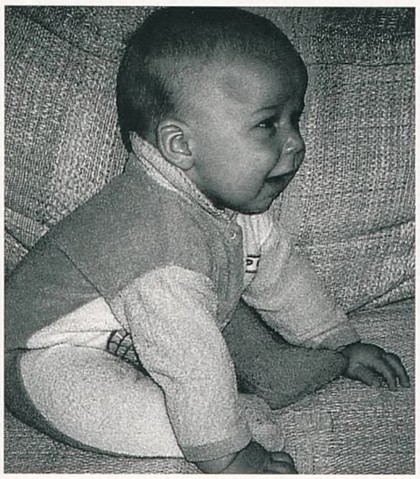
Montgomery Bell Academy has been my home for six years now, and I couldn't be more grateful for the opportunities and experiences. Now, we move on to the real world and real life, no more being sheltered in our comfort zone. But MBA has prepared all of us to strive confidently and live with conviction. For that, I am forever thankful.

To the seniors, it's been an incredible journey together, and I am proud to be a member of the Class of 2016. We showed up on the first day in 7th grade as strangers, and we leave as brothers. I can't thank y'all enough for how you've changed my life. To my mentors, Mr. Norton, Dr. Tarkington, Mr. Anderson, Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Kelly, Mr. Kimball, Dr. Dickens, and Mr. Martin, you have watched me grow and develop over the past 6 years. I greatly appreciate your influences in my life and the special interest you have given me. To my family, where do I start? You have pushed me beyond every limitation I set for myself. I've seen the sacrifices you've made to set me up for a successful future, and I hope I've made you proud to this point. I'm proud to call you family and I love you.

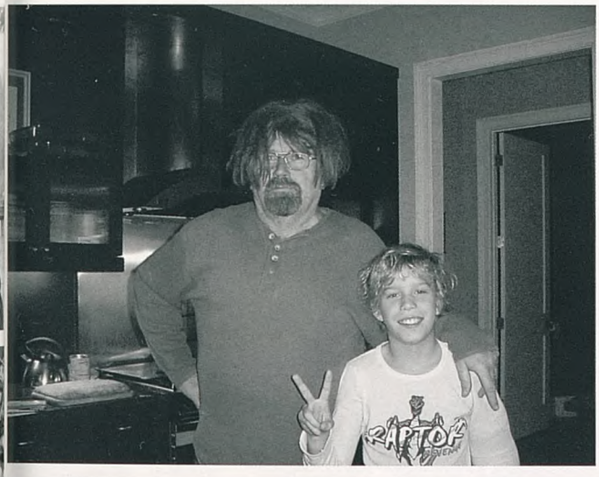
"True terror is to wake up one morning and discover that your high school class is running the country." - Kurt Vonnegut

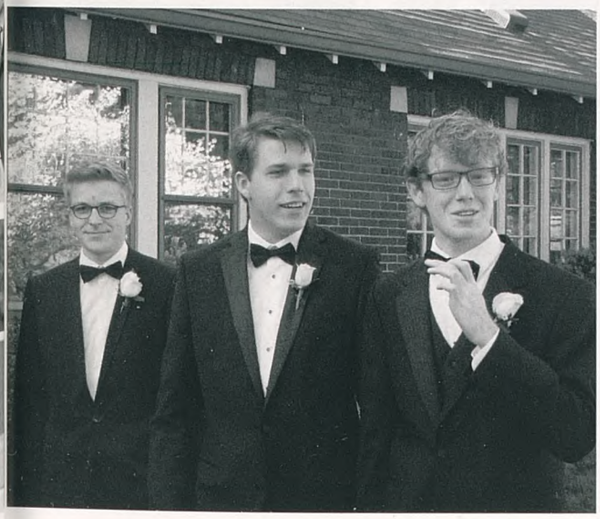
"God, give me grace to accept with serenity the things that cannot be changed, courage to change the things which should be changed, and the wisdom to distinguish the one from the other." - Serenity Prayer





Dani Beigl





Swimming, riflery, robotics, German immersion and exchange, and Ultimate.

I would like to thank some of my teachers, whose lessons, I feel move beyond the class...

To Herr Dougherty, who not only taught me how to speak German, but also whose support allowed me to travel to Germany

To Mr. Lanier, who taught me about more than just Algebra

To Mr. Sharbel, who helped me through my younger years at MBA

To Dr. Boyd, whose wit and humor was a please change in my history experience

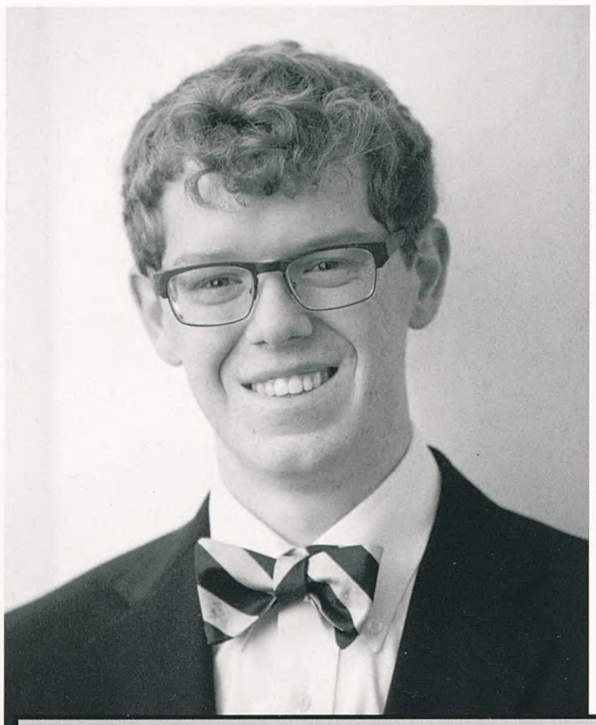
To Dr. Lech, who help transform our little club into a full-fledged sport

To Mr. Smyth, who let me skip practice to partake in my other interests

To Mr. Barclay and Dr. Carro, who taught me to love physics, but hate Fridays

The more I think of it, the more I wonder how I could ever have hated this place. There was a transitional time when MBA seemed synonymous with hell, but that time is past and I am sad to see my time here go.
Final thanks to anyone who helped me through my time here, all my teachers, my friends, everyone from the 7th graders to the seniors.

"Everybody needs a quote, we are all searching for a quote" – Cole Cross



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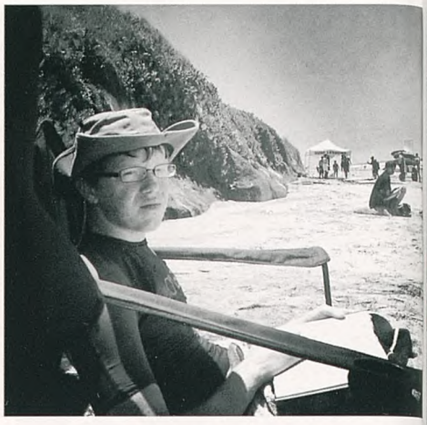

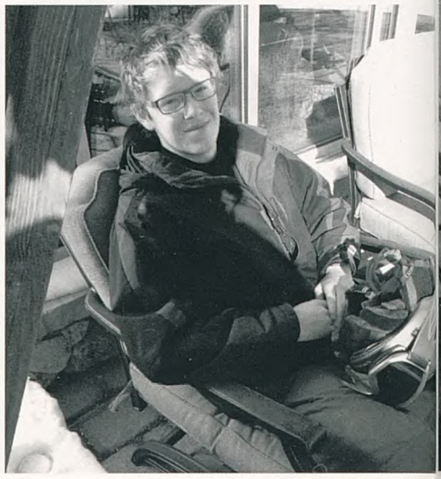

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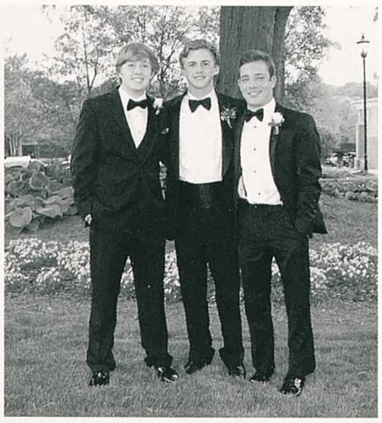
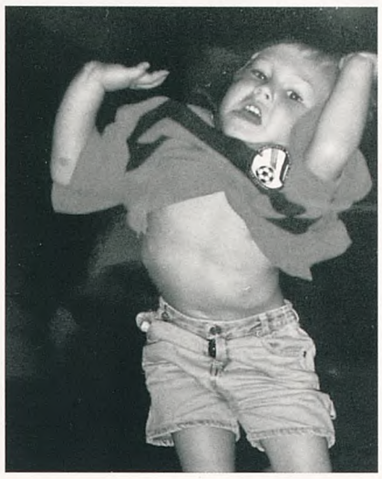
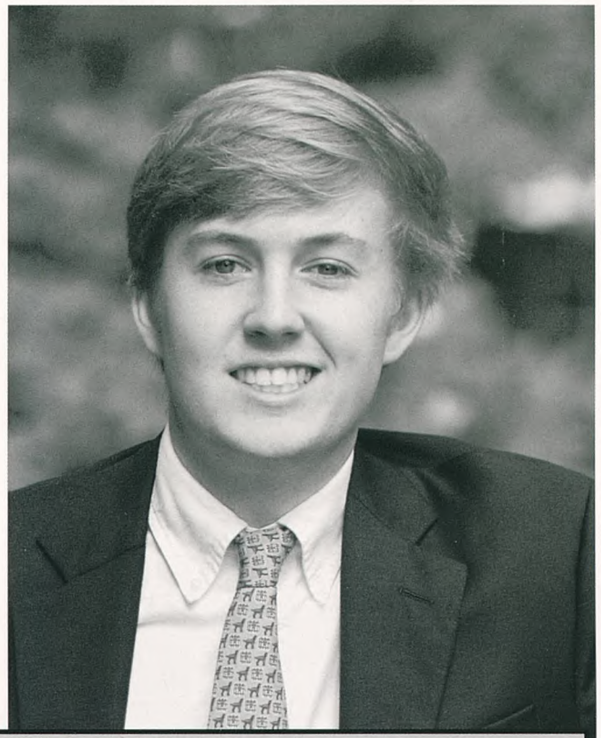






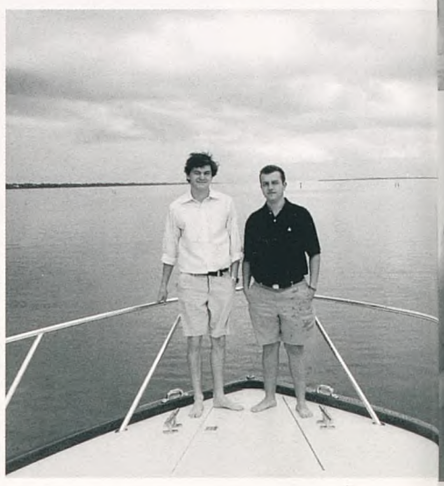
Alex Boone

"I just have one thing to say about the Caspian Sea"; Brother Fogg; "Dude, do I look like a fish?"; Double down Fridays; Messi Tanner and the Pavo; Geobros; "So what you're going to turn into a pumpkin?"; Laurelbrooke nights; Tree; Situations; "Saca la basura"; The Currey farm; Friend and Enemy; The fair; Mr. Kelly's class; XOYO; 60's-style counter-cultural anti-colonial focoism; "... on history!"; "ehh plagiarism, schmagerism"; London; Mexico; craps; Berkeley guy; "How shiesty?"; "Make circles out of squares"; Treacherous D; Rosencrantz and Guildenstern; physics God; Hey Christian; Meech; senior board; Sam the Eagle; Gabby; Kevin from Heaven

I'd like to thank everyone who has been part of my time on The Hill. Thanks to my mother and sister for always supporting me. Special thanks to Dr. Dickens, Mr. Herring, and Mr. Kelly. I'd also like to thank my advisors, Mr. Bryant, Mr. Ferrell, and Mrs. Lechleiter.

"He was going to live forever, or die in the attempt."
- Joseph Heller

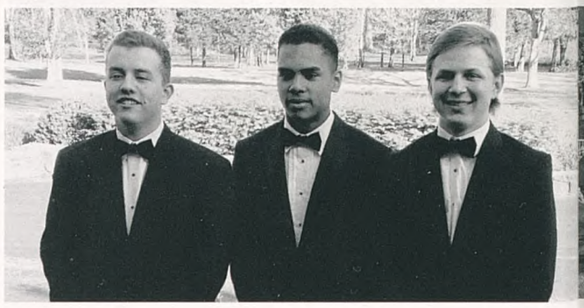
Ross Bradshaw



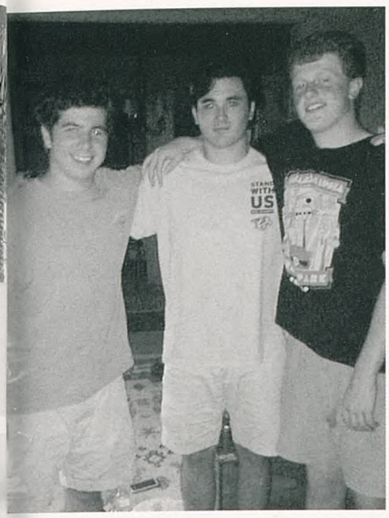
Starting Offensive Lineman for 7th Grade Football

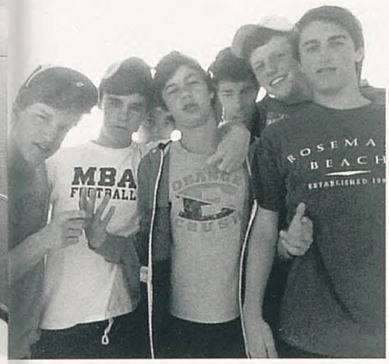
"I'm FedEx", Lake, Glenn on the air vent, Chilton's back closet, Last day of 8th Grade, Jack Litchfield, Bamboo Forest, Montana with Pete, Ms. Yu, "Mrs. Chilton I'd love to have...", Bob's rapping career, Mr. Hannon's Class (test tube did not have a chance), Bessie, All my time in traffic, Pretty Lights, "It's in your notes", West Palm with Pete, Rosemary with Pete, "My Auburn Chair", "Selby your feet look really good.", Prefer the rose bush as my pillow, "LEEEEEEE", First day of Christmas Break with Poe, Dr. Young's class, Dr. Dickens, Junior year spent with Glenn, Bahamas with Pete, Downey and Poe, "Connorrrrrr", Connor's side glass table, "Tim can't lift my cooler", Eddie's Stop N' Shop, Girlie afraid of guns, Poe's Farm, Currey Farm, Belle Meade Cowboy, Russ is still asleep in class, Singapore with Pete, My showings at Bell Buckle, " Will you be in Nashville this weekend?", Kong at Ole Miss, Training Room Life, Blazelton, Team 116 & 117, Brandon Thornsberry, Emeka, MaKinna, The Hill

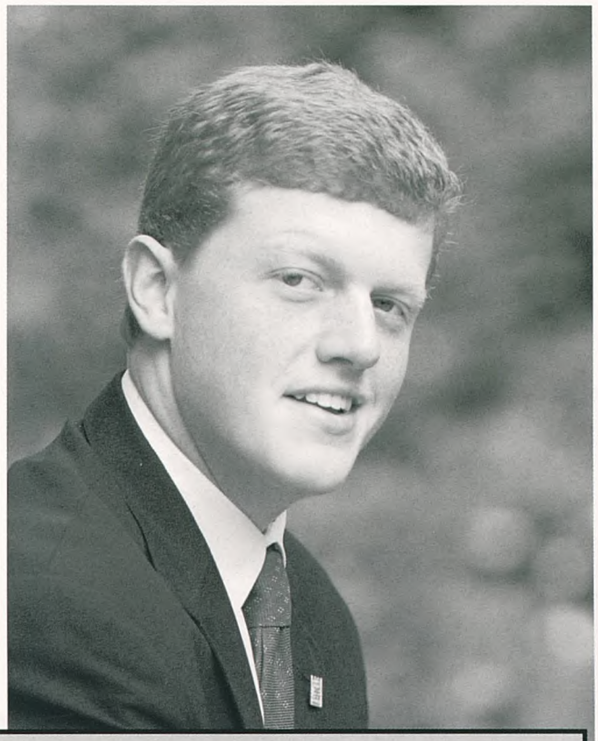
The time I have spent on The Hill has been the greatest time of my life. I can not thank everyone enough. I would like to thank my brother for driving me everyday to school and giving me helpful tips to be successful. My sister for the support and accompanying me on the trek to and from school. My family for the support and love. Granddaddy thank you for everything you did for me. Brandon: Thank you for everything you did for me in the training room, and in advisory. I am forever grateful for the relationship that we made and will continue to have. I look up to you as a mentor of mine. Mom and Dad: Thank you for supporting me since day one. I could not have anything I have now without y'all. I can't thank you enough for allowing me to go to MBA or for all the opportunities I have been offered. I love you.



"In three words I can sum up everything I've learned about life: it goes on." - Robert Frost







Werner Bradshaw

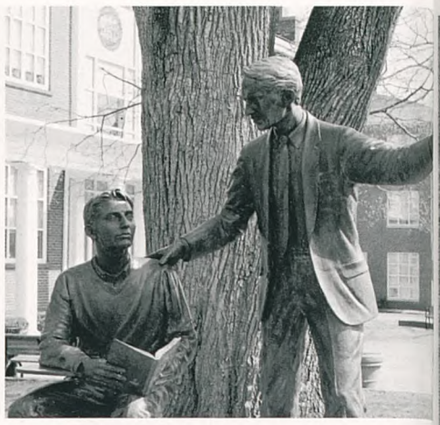
Calvary; Lake- Bob's bringin d, homecoming x2, NYE (loft fall), Monty hits rock bottom, "Whose is this?", Glenn on the fan, Turner's soap, "If you think I'm eatin pretzels you're wrong"; John's civic; Rosemary- the spot, mild grilled chicken, Jack's porch, Marieo and Brodie vs Tallahassee kids, Ross falling in the bush; Belle Meade Walgreens; 4th period pack with Jack and Pae; Peter/Owen's farm, Lee!; Bonnaroo; Jack walking down Trimble in his boot; Conner Craig Clark; Downey's house; Hobo with a shotgun, Leprechaun 6; Taylor's house after the fair; Jack on crutches at fair; eating contest at Chick fil a; Horn/hew/ston!;.... you Gray!; Chilton's house/closet; graffiti city; shrew; carriage house; Hillwood sauna; Pat's gravel drive; Lift Kit Malone; Free George Hunt; kicked out of Lark's; Hot Twin wow; golf at McCabe; hey Robert; Eddie's/ Stop n go (RIP); mini roar; With Your Friends; Pretty Lights (x10); USC Trojan piece; carolina panthers piece; Starlito phase; Dabs Neckem; Burns' Farm; Winning State; JV lax; Upper-lip cheeto; driving around Oak Hill/Forest Hills/ Hillwood; after school with Trice and Jack; Bamboo Forest; Watching the crash; McGinn's Farm; Rites of Spring; Jack's Biggie CD; Finding my wallet on the side of the road in Georgia; "First off.."; Bob's rap; Helms, high speed chase with King and Malone at Helms; Beckham's house; griz wint; finding out Downey's secret; rescuing people after mock trial; Pae; first line of Key!- Cathedral; Bassnectar; Yung Lean; sneaking out with John; Shy's Hill; cold like Minnesota; bickin back bein bool like my uncle; I look good as yo dad on a friday

Thank you mom and dad for everything you do. I can not put in words how thankful I am for y'all. Jamie, thanks for always keeping me in line and being a great big brother.

Thanks to all my teachers/ coaches, especially Mr. Kelly, Dr. Marro, Ms. Ellery, Mr. Gaither, Mr. Paolicchi, Coach Barclay, Coach Moran, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Palmore, Mrs. Christeson, Mr. Spiegl, and Sean and Jake.

"Hop out a ghost in the jungle I did it" - Future

Peter Briggs

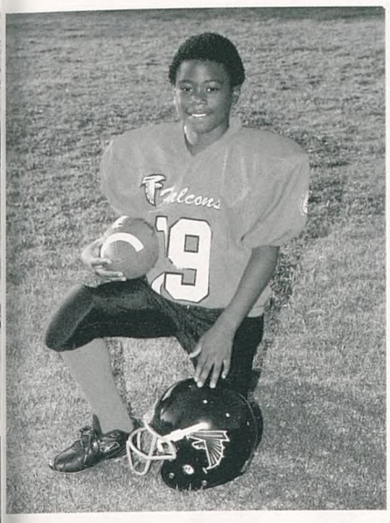


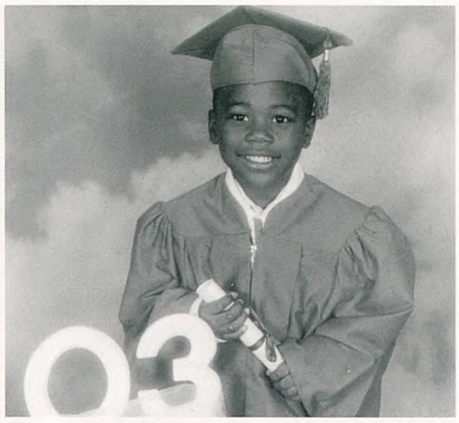
Lacrosse- 10th, 11th ,12th grade

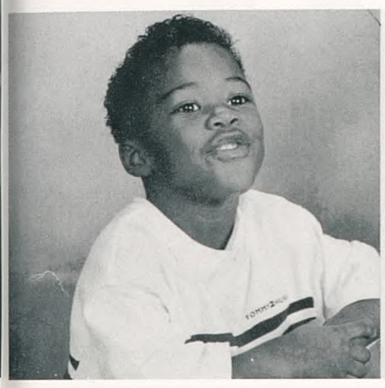
Farm; Murky Jones; Karl Coleman; BRUTHERRRRR; russels and ben's hygiene; Downey is god; "you look like randal"; bobs donuts; Bob and doochin; Rock island crew #rip, D+ social; Nelson; freshman after party; chicken nuggets; trap house; bobs rap; 8th grade lax trip; liq night; eddies; MBA vs EHS; wgs; coach harvey, horn; ron; RON; RJ; "you think your going to sleep"; John Kelly in Mr. Hannons class, dirtbikes w/ poe; St. Pattys day; Jeb; Palm Beach w/ jeb; skiing w/ jeb; singapore w/ jeb; Bahamas w/ Jeb; The Cove; Pearson peeing in his pants; Downey and Tim; To a new beginning

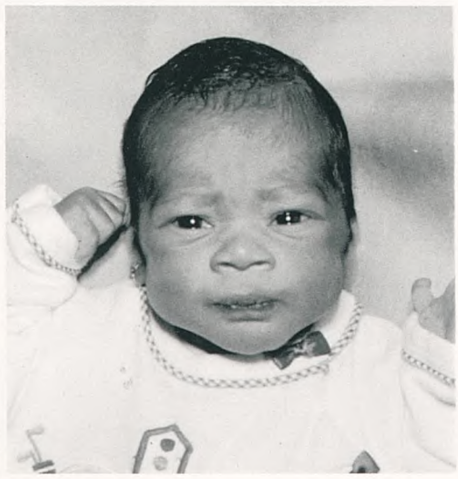
Thank you to everyone who has supported me during my high school career. Thank you to my family for allowing me to go a school like MBA and staying patient with me. Thank you to all my coaches for providing opportunities and teaching me how to listen to others. Thank you to my older brothers for keeping my head straight. Thank you to all my teachers who put up with me and taught me everything I know. Thank you to everybody that has been a part of this journey it's been fun. Special thank you to Coach Harvey for being my mentor during your time at MBA.

It's true hard work never killed anybody, but I figure, why take the chance?- ronald reagan

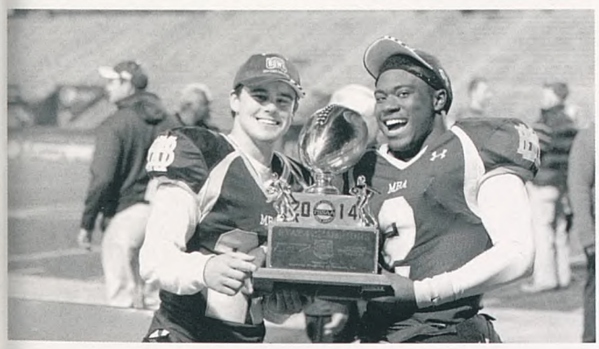








Karlton Bruton



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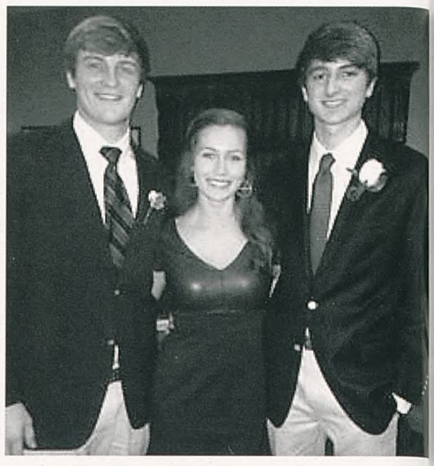
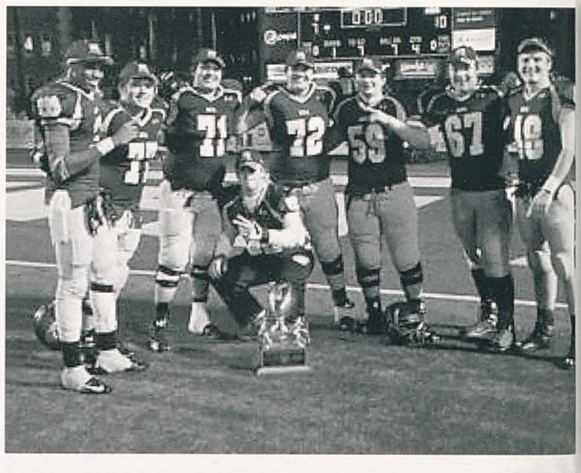
Parker Bryan

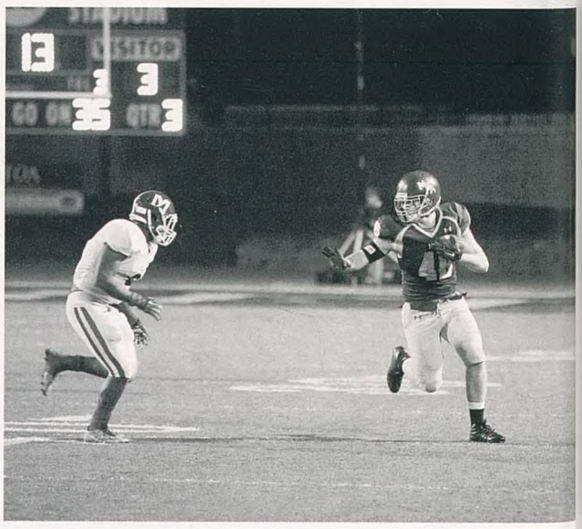


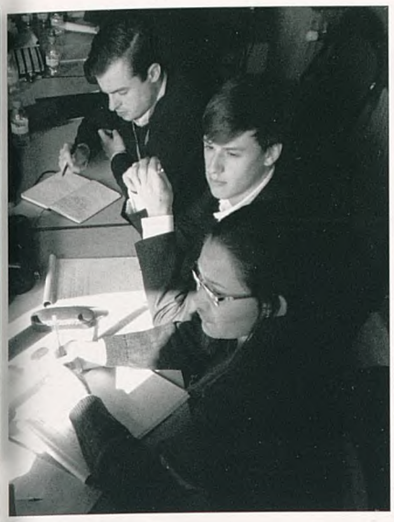
Varsity Basketball(9-12); Varsity Football(9-12), 2014 State Champs

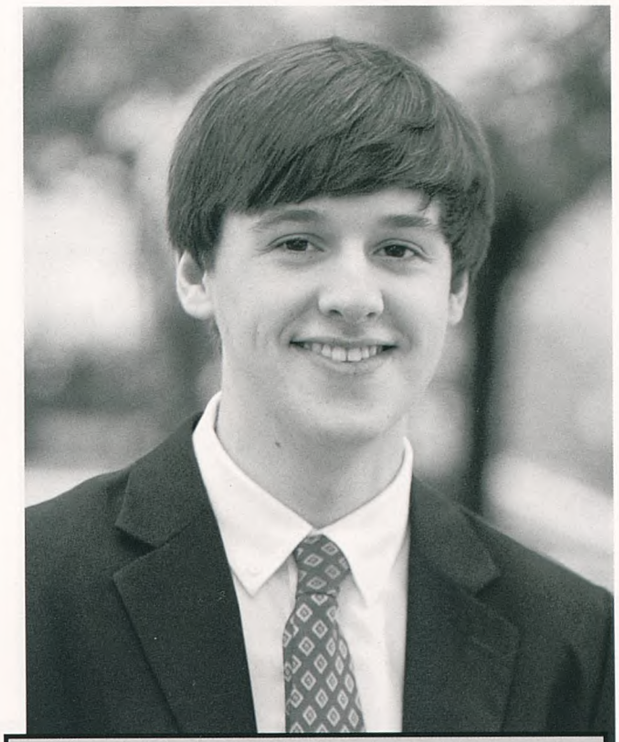


Massey building; Concept of topaz; Study hall with Dr. Pettus; Coach Jacques; Broken window; Chaz vs Kosson; The vault; Sunflower seeds on the bus; Lunges; Rancher; 5th quarter; Toddsquad; Dr. West's Study hall; Rocks on D Smitty's desk, "You're the slowest tight end ever."; "You know you would have scored if you were faster?"; "Justice."; Weikert for the win; Gold Bond; Calf raises; St. Benedicts student section; JV baseball sarcasm; Being supportive in the dugout; Tee-ball at 42nd; Papa Lundi; Scow's Gut; Todd Prevost; Midnight run; Jump pass; J mikes; Mario Kart; Trips to Dairy Queen with Clarke; Chase's house; Carter 7th period with Conner; Carson ignoring me in advisory; Bell Buckle; Ingram with Chapman and Clarke; Bars; "Let's Go!"; Guarding Tree; Jonah El stuffed night; Late talks with BBJ in Memphis; 1024 with Scott; Team camp; Clarke's basketball court; Parmer Park; HH roof; Rock Island; Sophomore HC; Oct 5, Nov 2, Mar 23, Aug 15; Charge vs. Father Ryan; Laser Tag; Celebrations in the locker room.

First of all, I would like to thank my parents for all of their support through the years. Coach Moran, I want to thank you for everything, it has been an awesome three years. I also want to thank Coach Anglin and Coach Mac for putting up with me. Thanks to Mr. Kelly and Dr. Marro for always being there to talk to. Lastly, I would like to thank all who have helped me through MBA. It's been quite a ride. Roll Red.







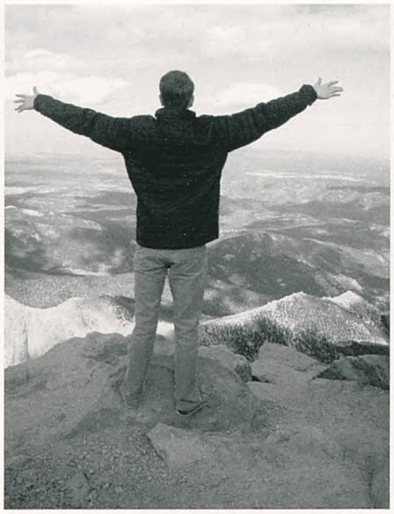
Cole Campbell

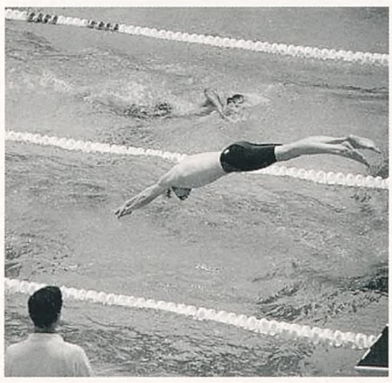
Policy debate (9-12); Mock Trial (9-12); Winchester Symposium (11); IML (9-12)

HH mockies; Wadespice; my siren song is beautiful, my siren song is deadly; #GG; Adam you're lillerly ignahant; grits aff; "Have you considered broadcasting?"; mock trial team dinners; don't let your dreams be dreams; lyin' Elisha Lane; diversifying MathCounts; her name was Michelle; saca la basura; debate assembly announcements; ninety-tree; I'm not faking it; "Oh yeah!"; anti-conservative microaggressions; they is my hero; Batman doesn't use guns; mock trial bracketology; TOC dreams; stealing the Tokyo hat; Cowboy Cole, toughest kid in school

Thank you to all the people who have made the last six years of my life a truly meaningful experience. To my parents, thank you for believing in me every step of the way and for always being there when I needed someone to fall back on. Will and Kyle, thanks for being really cool siblings in general and making sure that I grew up confident in who I was. I also want to thank all the teachers and coaches who made me who I am today. Mr. Kelly, you are one classy guy and I can't imagine anyone else I would rather have had as my English teacher and traveling buddy in England. Mr. Clark, Mr. Hamrick, and Mr. Quinn, thanks for giving me a sense of community beyond anything I expected coming into high school. Wade and Mr. Stewart, thanks for working insanely hard and making the most fun team that I've ever been a part of. Lastly, to my classmates, I don't think I could have asked for a better group of guys to spend my high school years with. I can't believe it's over, but I'll never forget it.

Ryan Carpenter



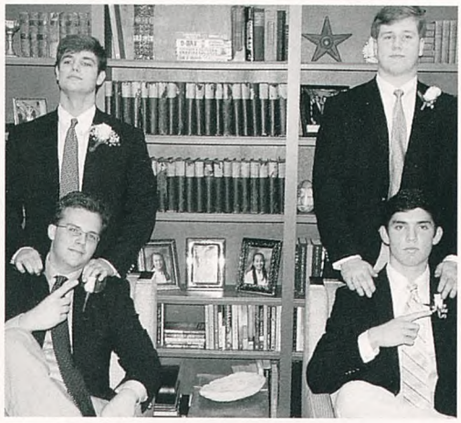


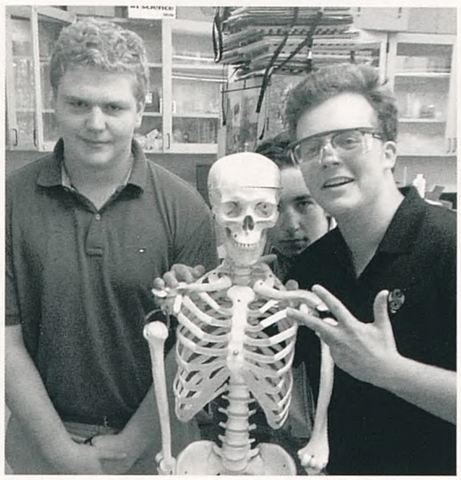
Varsity Swimming (9-12); Swimming State Championships (9-12); 4th Place 200 yard Medley Relay (10-11); Boy Scouts (5-12); Eagle Scout (12)

The Hampton Avenue Adventures; Riding bikes and Rabbit hunting with Mrobb; 2 weeks in a tent with the Boy Freeland; Getting a cold cup of coffee at 5 AM in the pool; The Chronicles of Mordor with Big Welch; Summer nights with EntrepreNeuser; An unforgettably cloudy Tampa trip; Cruising around in the millennium falcon; Yung Tom's big night on the town; a kickback at Laidback Luke's Cool Springs mansion; Waffle House is always the cure; Rouge Yukon, an art marathon in the basement workshop; Mapco's Colombia Primo coffee with extra stok; Raoul is my role model; After school meetings with Young Ardisso; We need 200lbs of sand; An odd afternoon with some Aussies; Sharing art with the magnificent Wolf; Opry Hills, Homecoming, the Frappe Club, and Project Braga with Trent the legend

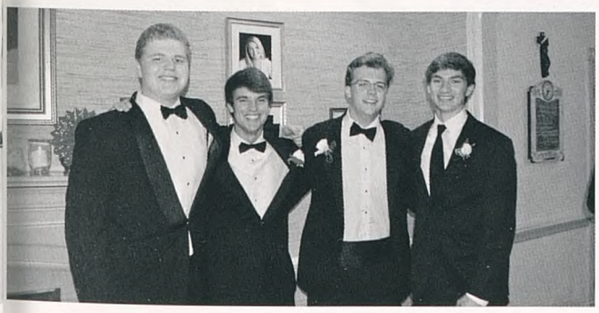
I would like to thank all the people who helped me develop into the person I am today; My mother and father for always pushing me to be my best and my sister who gave me a hard time but supported me throughout my life; My teachers that gave me knowledge I will always apply to my life and for seeing my academic potential while helping me reach it; Sr. Kamm for not only being the best advisor ever, but also always checking up on me; my coaches that supported my goals and helped me become a stronger person; the boy scouts for making me a leader; all my friends who were there for me when I needed it most; I thank you all for your support over these past 6 years that I will never forget

"Enjoying living was learning to get your money's worth and knowing when you had it" - Hemingway





Davis Cavallo



During my time at Montgomery Bell, many events have come to define me as a person. Being the genius I was and am, it was surprising to me that I never received any kind of academic recognition for my dedication and hard work. But as (I believe it was Mick Jagger) once said, "You can't always get what you want." I served as the greatest History Club President of all time (that's a fact, btw) along with Alex Stevens and we did some sweet history stuff. I went on exchange to South Africa, and that was pretty cool. One time I got a 98 on a math quiz and I was pretty psyched about that. I think it was in tenth grade, maybe eleventh.

My memories at MBA range from that one time when I had a lot of homework to that other time I had even more homework plus a theme, so that was pretty funny. No but seriously, I had a lot of homework. On a more earnest note, MBA was a very fun place to be for four years and I was lucky to have been accepted and to attend school here. Football games were really fun.

Thank you to the wonderful faculty and staff who helped to support me and encouraged me to do my best here. My family also deserves many thanks for allowing me to go to MBA and paying for it all.

Since we can enter 350 words and at this point I have 247 entered, I will make my senior quote the remainder of the words I can use. Never mind, I decided to ditch that idea...here's my quote: "Quote.' Ha-ha get it? No. Okay, my bad." I'll probably regret using that as my quote in a while but you know what they say.

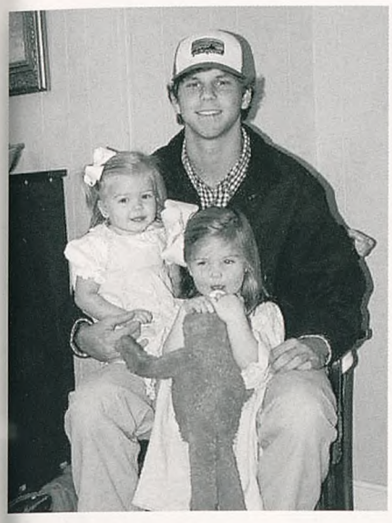
Luke Cianciolo

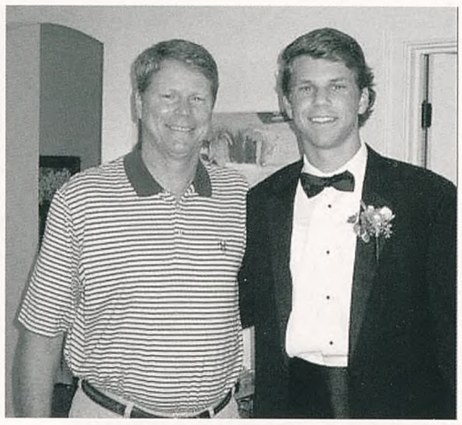
Varsity Rifle- 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th grade; Rifle team captain- 12th grade; Duke of Edinburgh Award; LEAD MBA Gold award; Photography club; Warner Exchange Grant Recipient; Wilson Grant Recipient

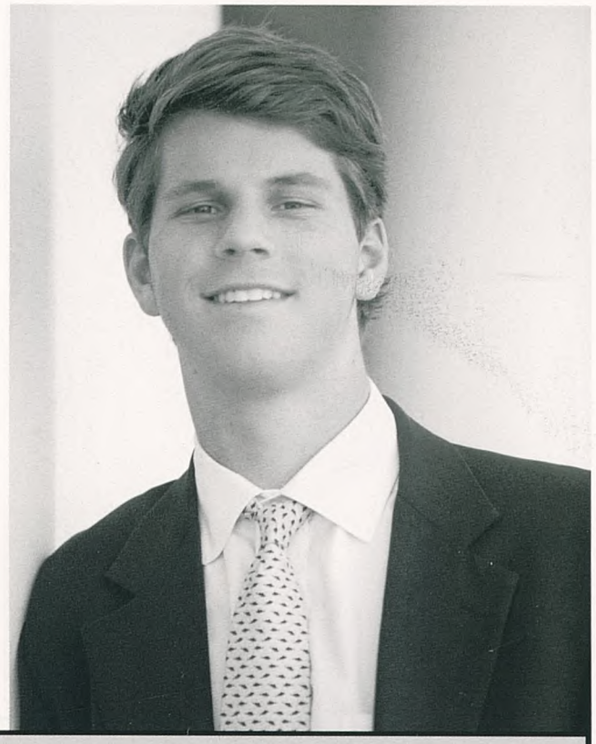
I have many special moments to look back on from my time at MBA. Class trips; Homecoming; Prom; Rifle matches; My Wilson grant to Costa Rica; My exchange to Cape Town; Football games on Friday nights; Fun times with friends; Shooting in the Junior olympics; Multiple State Championships; Shooting in Nationals; London Trip; Fabric; MEHAP with Dr. Boyd; American History with Captain Norton; Dr. Lech's Perfect Amplitude; Snowbird with Ryan Carpenter; Delta; FCA; Love Circle; LOTG; XOYO; Joe Vasquez; Project Brent Traga; Sapphire; Sonic runs; Steeplechase; Winter Formal; Safe and Warm; The Dawg Pound; Rites; LIC; Lake Days; R.I.C.O; #6man; Legend of Kosson; Memories with Tyler, Bennett, and Carlos; Rack City

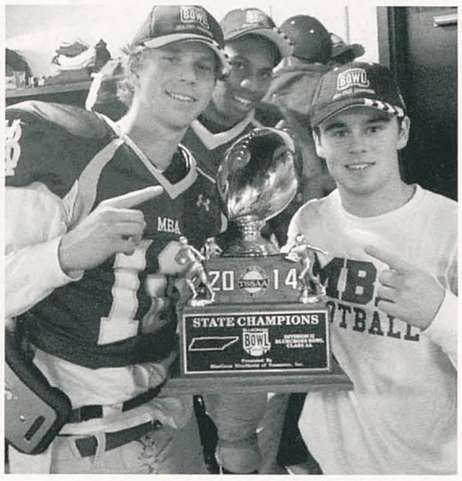
My time at Montgomery Bell Academy has been a rewarding experience and one that I will forever cherish. I cannot thank my family enough for the opportunities that they have given me and the sacrifices that they have made. MBA has impacted me greatly on my journey from childhood to manhood. I have been positively influenced by my teachers and coaches, and my character reflects the qualities that they have instilled in me. The brotherhood that exists among MBA students is impossible to find elsewhere, and I will cherish the relationships that I have formed here forever. I've made many friends who have undergone this journey with me, and these past six years would not be the same without them. MBA has prepared me to go out into the world with an open mind, a strong work ethic, and a noble character. This institution has taught me the importance of being a good leader and the value of knowledge. I have learned how to be a gentleman and how to treat everybody with respect. For my experiences and my lessons learned, I will be forever grateful.

"Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts."
-Winston Churchill

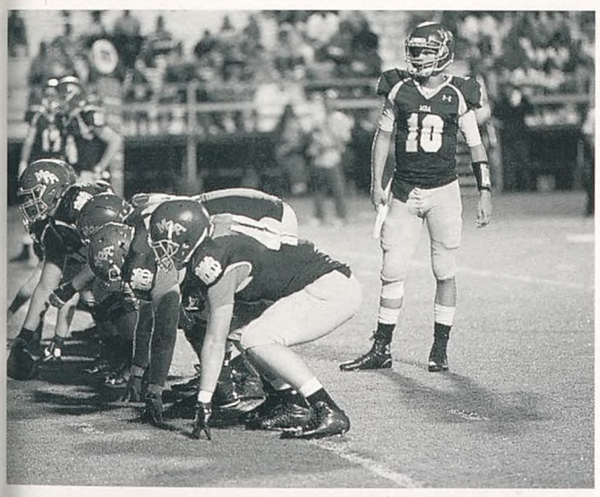








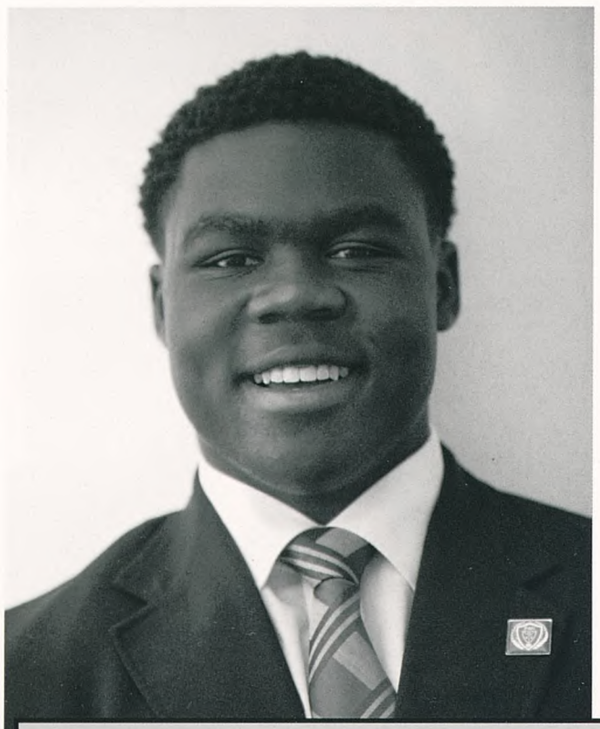
Glenn Coleman



Football (7-12); Baseball (7-10): Basketball (7-9): Big Red Choir (12): 2014 State Football Champion;

Rock Island; Carl; Carlito; Gus; Murky Jones; JR Smith; New Years in RI; Rope Swing: Guy Fieri; Guy Night; "If you think you're going to bed you're wrong"; Lift Kit Malone; Winston Wednesday's; André; 2:30 Crew; Scared; One word; St. Patty's Day; Chick-fl-a sauce; Bell Buckle; Pretzels; Basement Ratch; Cain Muzik; Waka Flocka, Young Thug; Golf Course got me; Get outta your mind; Beats Pill; Ron; "Show me how you sleep sometimes Smith"; Kong; Shrew; Graves; Whitty; Dreher; D+; State Hockey Game; Rock Island Farms; Last Resort 542; ridiculous; Snow day at Rusty's; Rusty; Rusty's Farm; hot tub got me; Beas; Gray; eye-black; Freshman HC; Friday Night Lights; Scaring every parent; West Virginia; Porch Crew; 4th of July at RI; 6:00am at Homecoming; Rocky Top; Home at 9:00pm; H-Watch; Dave; "John no like food"; Tash; Theo; Chick-fl-a during study hall; Scary; Handssss; Graves dancing to Kanye; Farm days; Hole in wall(wasn't me); SammyG Strong; Jahz; La-bor-atory; " CANT EVEN WALK"; Downey; Boy; 5325; "its time"; 'time to drop the hammer'; Chicken minis; "aiappaerorho chicken minis" – Peter(Murky); Nol; Gray never actually fighting me'; Scratch and Sniff"; #RIPDOEB; Future; Codeine Crazy; Bill; Aldean; Can hang; You're a Dad; Monty; Base Alpha; -nyy; oldies; Satco; Midnight run; Phelps; Oline dinners;" "Is this food even real"; SAGE; 1D; Raleigh's party; boxers

I would like to give a special thanks to all who have helped me in throughout this amazing experience at MBA. I am very thankful for my parents for the love they have displayed toward me, and the amazing experiences they have provided for me. I greatly appreciate Coach Euverard for all he has done. He always believed in me, even when I didn't believe in myself. Thank you for an amazing 3 years playing football for the Big Red, and for teaching me how to live life with positivity and passion. Lastly I would like to thank all my teachers and coaches throughout MBA. The knowledge gained from your respected classes and sports will last endlessly with me.



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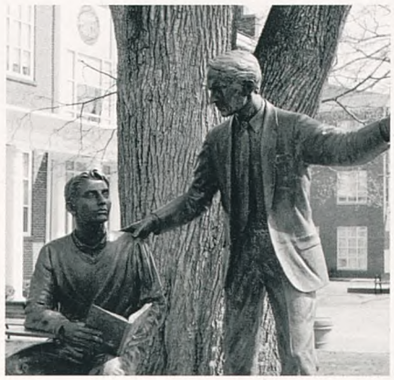

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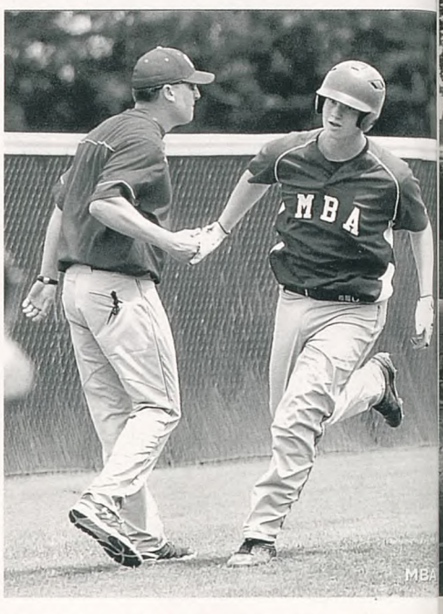
Hudson Coombs

Soup Kitchen Worker (9-12); Soup Kitchen Project Manager (12); Theater (7-12); Jazz Band (7-12), including two in Ellington Band (11-12); International Thespian (10); MBA Silver LEAD Award (11)

Coombsnation; Coooooooombssss; Honey Coombs; Coombsbaya; Coombs; any other nickname I'm forgetting; Good Times, Great Dudes; Denton Bodd; pick a camera; skyhigh; the red biker; classic Remke; Atlanta Trip; Joe Vasquez; the new dining hall; Coach Shone's Titans; Churchball is life; Getting high on history with Mr. Herring; Captain Norton's advice during American History; RESILIENCE; Scott Stirling; John Cena; 2014 State Champs; the master of fantasy football; Devon Runnnddddddberg; my name is Eshan Loung; The Dogpound; The Big Red Sea; RACK CITY; Big Red Nation; What are thoooooossssseeee; Burning Down the House; Woe unto us; Brotha Foggggg; James Caryl; Frankie Churchill; long tech calls

I would like to thank my family for all they have done to help me through MBA. I wouldn't have survived without them. I would like to thank my teachers, my advisors, and all faculty members for what they do to keep MBA an amazing place. Life without MBA would be unimaginable. I would like to especially thank Dr. Fuller and Mr. Morrison for being my theater mentors. Shout out to my senior theater bros Nolan Spear, Matt Remke, Jackson Wooten, Tanner McCormick, Drew Gordon, Benton Dodd, my close friends, all the students for my many nicknames, and the rest of my classmates. The last seven years have been the best. Hail MBA!

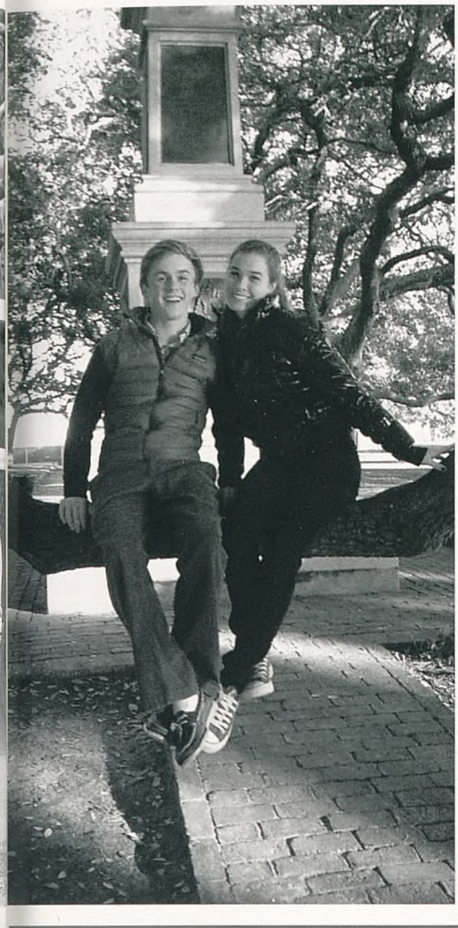
Cole Cross

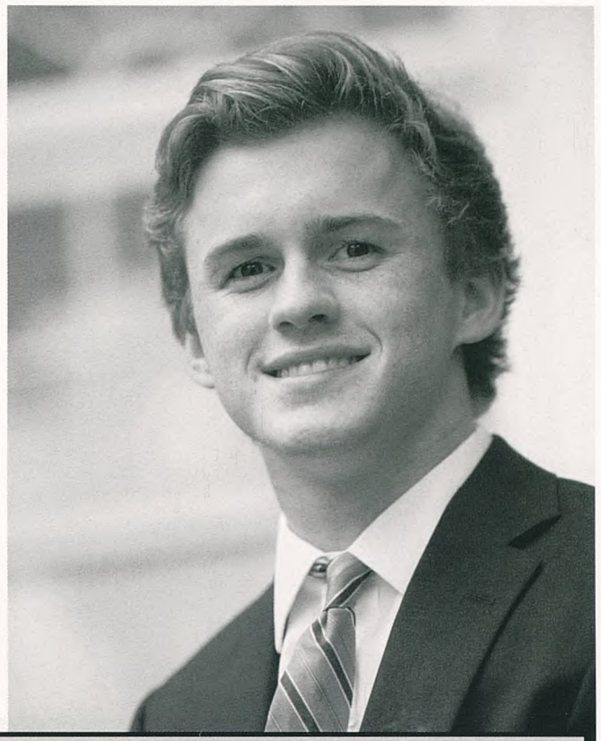


Varsity Baseball (9-12); Ellington Band (11-12); Football (7-9); Service Club (11-12); History Club (12); Baseball Club President (12)

Arizona freshman year; Dog Pile at Belmont; Football with Eskew, Mow, Charlie, Lovvorn, Scow, Will, and Bronson; Madden Fridays; "There's the door"; Bookclub; "The GUT!"; Ilk; Baby Hippo; The Sass; 80-11; "God is testing me today"; The Vault; Street Rules; Jeff the Brotherhood with Charlie; Brother J; BYOD; Rhodes' Hats; Hippo Pond; Autism Speaks with Rhodes, Charlie, and Bronson; "Ah, Gentlemen"; BSC trip; Grand Ole Flag; Eskew's pun game; Bear Grylls; Redes Sociales; Goody's Cracker Barrel candy; Bus Trips to Florida; "He fell in"; Vail with Carter; "Good news, bad news"; Brandon's Thursday Dance Parties; Scow's Fairview friends; Bambi- Anderson and Hansen; 95% genetics; Brookes Brothers Catalogue; Good Livin'; 4th Period Pizza; Will's Turtleneck; Brandon's Waffle House challenge; Marathon; Bronson is the DAD!; Mr. Davidson's Class.

I would like to thank my parents and my brother for their support throughout my time at MBA. Thank you to all of my teachers for your help with getting through these six years. Coach Anderson, Coach Martin, and Coach Pettus: I am proud to have played for you for the past four years.





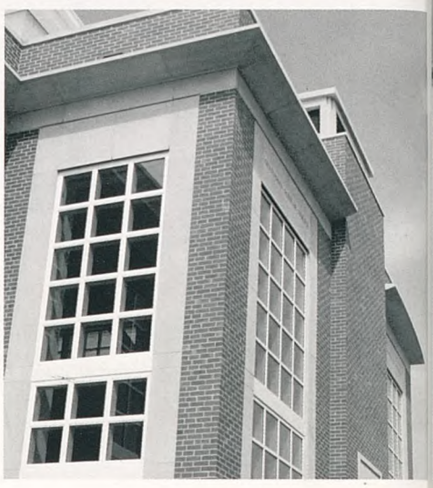
Owen Currey

Mr. Anderson rocking Richard Baker's world; Earth Science test grades; B Team Soccer; Coach Jackson's well-behaved class; messing with Saxon; laughing in Mr. Sawyer's Study hall; the green hills mall; Science day with HH; Cross Country; Watching coneheads with Peter; Seaside; Chillhouserock; jack king's orange shirt; Wrestling practice with Shone; bob garstin; Atlanta trip; Braves game; track practice with Russell; Where's Buddy I been lookin all over for him"; Cross country (JV); River Circus Farm; Mr. Pruett; The Hundred Acre Woods; Wellington house; "First off, 2nd off, 3rd off..."; the Battle of Shiloh; Soup Kitchen; Spanish I and II with Paolicchi; With Your Friends;"Where's Tim?"; Laurelbrooke Expeditions; the leadership retreat with Ross; the Ocoee Rafting trip; Crawford's; Seaside part II; The Hamptons; Mr. Berry's legendary 3rd period class; Lee's flashlight; Ducking hunting in Dyersburg; Wadeco. inc; Casa de Downey; Pray for Porter; Charleston I; the farm; the chin; ROTC lee; The Spaceship; Brodie's house; the great escape; Roberto's I; Sam, Shutup!; "Owen, are you paying any attention?!??"; Situations; "Dude, omg that would be so horrible""; Mission Impossible; Charleston; Jupiter Island; phone calls with Boone; Welly; Charleston II; Trips to Aspen; Rowing regattas; Sor Lucia Roge project; Costa Rica; the Ensworth game sophomore year; Dan Herring philosophy; Sup Big Meesh?; the coffee situation; Mcginn talkin wet; football games; Nay nay; Do you love me? Hey boy!; Tudor Jones motivation; Oxford trip; The London Trip; dude they know; Spain trip; Shone 1st period; B&C forever; College trips; Peru; Charleston III; Ole Miss visit; Mark Poe Builders inc.; Charleston IV;

I would like to first thank my parents for their relentless time and energy devoted to my MBA experience. The memories made here will stay with me forever. I can only reminisce on how wonderful of journey it has been. I would like to thank all my teachers and coaches for putting up with me over the years. I cannot explain how much I am going to miss everyone on the hill. It's been good ride. God bless.

"Hard work beats talent every time"

Sam Curry



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Robert Dedman

"I don't like nostalgia unless it's mine."
-Lou Reed

Thank you God, family, friends, teachers, and coaches. But we ain't done yet...

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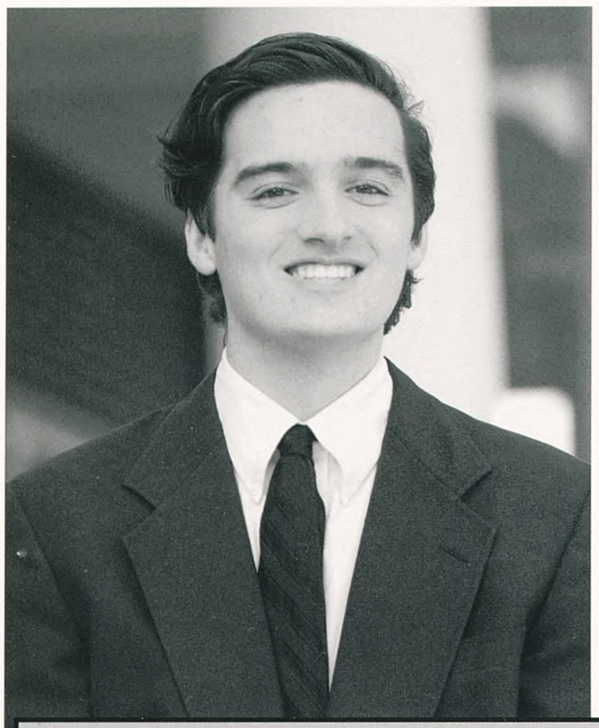
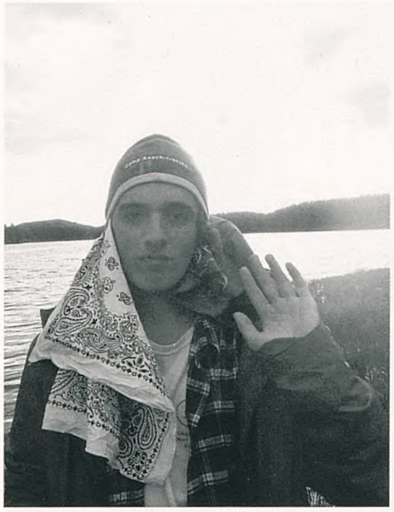
Dear future me,

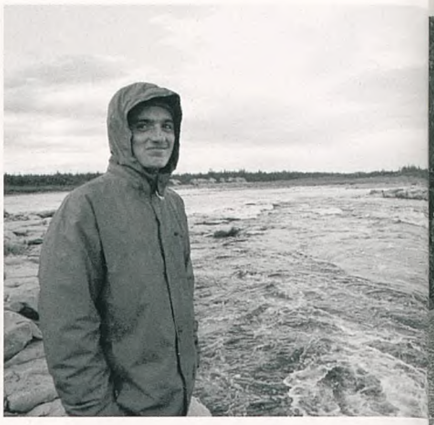
By now you've made it. I am proud of you, and I won't stop grinding until I am you.

Robert Dedman



Corbitt Dicker



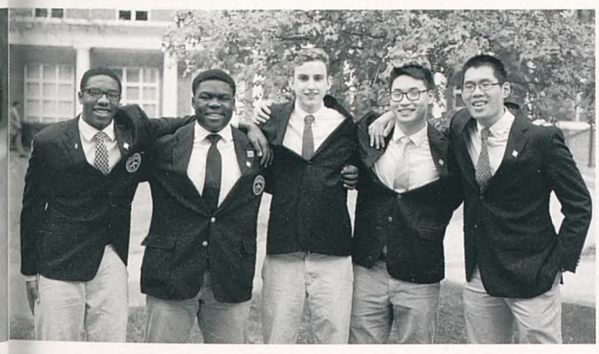


9th: Novice Rowing, MVP; 10th: Varsity Rowing; 11th: Varsity Rowing; Ultimate Frisbee; 12th: Climbing; Ultimate Frisbee; Senior Science Project

Special thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Warner who have provided me with incredible opportunities and tools with which to shape my future. Thanks to Mr. Merideth for remembering my birthdays, Mr. Hutton's third eye, Ms. Swieca for her infinite patience, M. Trotter pour nos conversations, Mr. Raney for always replying "you're welcome." and thanks to Dr.Creamer and Dr.Dickens for their dedication.
Thanks to my family and friends for their love.

"You may command nature to the extent only in which you are willing to obey her."
-Walter Russel

Tony Ding



Extemporaneous Speaking (9-12); Science Olympiad (9-12); Model UN (10-12); Sinfonia (9-12); Computer Science Club (11-12); Riddlers' Club (12); Ultimate Frisbee (12); Cum Laude (11-12); Totomoi (12)

Sorry, Demarco, I'm gonna be sick that weekend in November; Oswald T. Cobblepot's Grave; Looks like somebody didn't preview the text; I DABed pretty hard on this homework; I'm bouta burn you, Chuck; Disc me, Demarco.

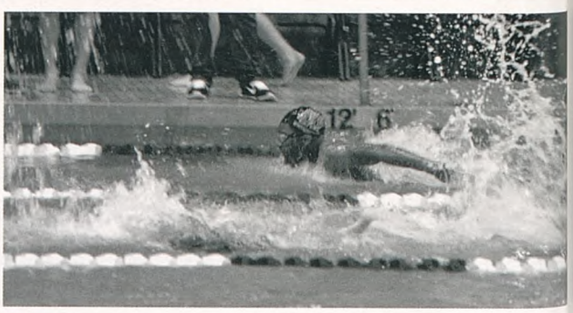
Mom and Dad, thank you for your unconditional support for eighteen years. I'd also like to thank several of my teachers: Mr. Kelly and Dr. Tarkington for teaching me to appreciate the written word, Dr. Carro, Mrs. Holmgren, and Mr. Jackson for sparking my love for applied math, and Mrs. Qian for being an incredible teacher for three of my years on The Hill. I also want to thank Mr. Hannon, Mr. Davidson, Mrs. Maddux, and Mr. Compton for pushing and inspiring me in more than just academics. And finally, to the best advisor on campus, Mr. Dougherty, thank you for tolerating all my antics for four years.

"Life is like a cabbage: Sometimes it is green and crunchy, sometimes dad stabs the cat with a knife because his foot ball team lose again." - Anonymous

Rueben Dockery

Robotics (9, 10, 11, 12 President); Football (9); Basketball (9); ACE (9); Chess Club (9-10); Swimming (10, 11, 12 Captain); Track (11-12); Science Wilson Grant (10-11); Theater (11); Science Olympiad (12); Chellophany (10-12); Endada (10-12); Rock Band (11-12); Totomoi (12)

My time on The Hill has been incredible. It was a long and arduous journey, but I am happy to say I endured it. Even though it was hard, there was never a boring moment on campus whether Coach Pruitt was playing in a puddle, or Coach Golenor was giving a student "scalpel invigoration." Other notable teacher experiences or traits include Mrs. Lechleiter's weekly food and candy, Coach Martin's voice, Dr. Bailey, Coach Barclay, Dr. Fuller, and Coach Vernacchio's enthusiasm, Mr. Rundberg's advice on retirement, Mrs. Moon's jolly ranchers, Mr. Morrison's and Mr. Kelly's accents, Coach Shone's talks, Mr. Calico's schooling me in chess, Dr. Tarkington cornhole games, Dr. Boyd's assembly presentations, Mr. Ferrell's puns, Dr. Marro's lenient grading, Mr. Davidson's smarts, corny humor and showing of the Roulette Video (Nor-men P#k-erd), Coach Loveless's dress attire, Mr. Herring's 60's lectures and "incense", Mr. McAlister's videos, Dr. Lech's humor via harshness, Mr. Hamrick's funny campaign signs and politics talks, Mr. Lanier's occasional silent class, Mrs. Palmore's pop quizzes, Dr. Carro's epic brain farts, Mr. Gillepsie's hard workouts, Dr. Kinch's movie trailers.



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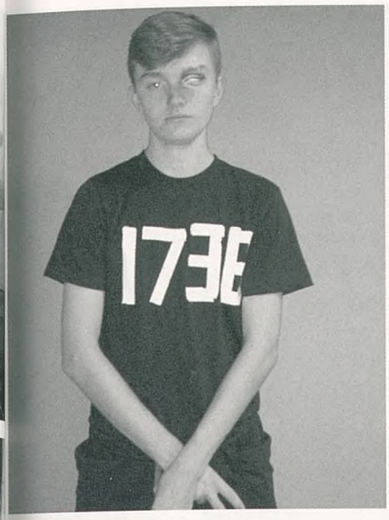
Lastly, I know that we did not beat BA, but I am SO happy to have been there supporting the team with all of my friends. MBA is truly a brotherhood.

"no Senior Slide", #FinFridays, #2014 Football Champs& 2015 Football Runner-Up, #Unlimited Solos, #MBA Class of 2016-I love you guys

Roll Red Forever!

"Don't worry about those who talk behind you back, they're behind you for a reason"

-Anonymous



Benton Dodd

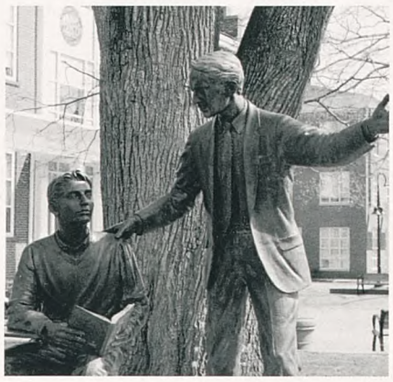
Track (9th); Cross Country (9th and 10th); Donelson Soccer (10th, 11th, 12th); Bell Ringer (9th and 10th); Ultimate Frisbee (10th) Harpeth Hall One Acts (10th); MBA One Acts (11th); Winner of EXPLO Marketing competition (11th); As I Lay Dying (12th); Model UN (12th); Bowling (12th); President/ Cofounder of FC Hype (10th-12th)

Roll Red; Slowlympics; Track Baseball; FC Hype; MBA Boat Racing; You Won't; NPOTS; Dev; Frog on my biology textbook; Winston Churchill; You guys ARENT funny; Yavilluminati; tsrb1979; The Power of Chook; Canterbury Tales video; MBA at 3am; nights on the middle school roof; Harpeth Hall exploration; philosophic nights; disco cd; The lord giveth; Guys let's make a mixtape; Cops and Robbers at Jacksons; Broad trip; Airsoft; Clive; COD nights; Lets dam the Mediterranean; @HozierWooten; $6 can buy you a lot at Waffle house; #FreeZelijko; Allen Grant; Denton; Genton; Sufjan lightshow; heroic efforts in Dr. Boyd's debates; Banter; what is in Lanier's bag; Everton FC; Kansas Jayhawks; JW fan club; my Halloween costumes; Dodd Family group text; Photoshop group; The horse that lives in my car; Maximus the Thirdicus; xDigitalRush; Live on the Green; the diplomacy betrayal; ill-fated 3 am bike rides; Grant Decker trip cave

Five years ago, MBA might as well have been Mt. Everest to an incoming 7th grader who looked like and weighed about as much as a 5th grader. Only through the help of others have I avoided falling into a crevasse during this climb (Dr. Boyd probably just mispronounced Crevasse). Thank you to my teachers for believing the myth that I am not a complete idiot, despite what grades, classroom behavior, or reality might indicate. Thanks to the faculty members that have made my dream of making FC Hype an official club become a reality. You have made my life more fun and my college applications more compelling. Finally, Thank you to my parents for giving me the perfect balance between causing me to fear for my life when mid-quarter grades came out, and for loving me on every other day of the year.

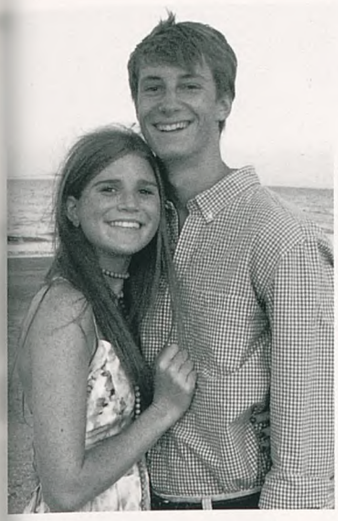
"Benton don't put something dumb for your senior quote" - Mom

Connor Downey



4 year Varsity Golf Letterman; 4 State Championship appearances; 1 regional championship; Finished in the top 5 twice in regionals; Playing college golf at The University of Villanova; Varsity Golf Captain; Scored two goals in one JV Hockey game appearance; Boy Wonder; Troy Bolton; God; Boy; First off..Second off...Third off...; The Downey Household; Currey Farm; Werner's house; Club Crush; The Atlantis; The Boat; The BVI's with Poe; "Poe....."; Sophomore Spring Break; #leprechaun; "How did you get a fire extinguisher?" Girl-Lito; "TIIIMMMMM" - Ross Bradshaw; "Sinkin Putts and you know the rest"; you got games on yo phone?; But that's none of my business; Aura with Peter, Brodie, and Ross; Kevin from heaven; Casa D'Angelo; The Cave; "Ick"- Jack King; "heeyy what are you doin, heyy"- Jack King; Bro Beans; Trump; Roddy Story; Beating Ensworth in Football; Crawford Patton, Bob Garstin, Joel Thelen; "Let's get weird"; "Sophisticatedly ridiculous"- Sam Smith; The Blonde Squad; "Dear God"- Jack King; Kong, Kang, Wmoney, Smitthhhhhh; Girl, Theo; Reese, Ross, Mane; Petah, Texas Pete, Brogggss; Owen Currey; Carl, Glenn, QB1; "Tank", "T-Town Legend", Mcginn; Ben Graves; Brodie "she's getting the boot" Poe; Calvary; Richey; Ya'll Ain't Funky Like Us; "really really realllyyy gooood looking" - Zoolander; The F150; Katie's Couch with David Wise; Beasley beat Mark in wrestling; Beasr22; "You look like a Victoria Secret model"- Jack King; Swing; Pretty girls remix; Ignition Remix; Gibbs Intervention; Thunderstruck; Mcginn's Farm; Malone's Tahoe; Lift- Kit Malone; "Downey you fell through"- Alex Boone; "Guys...we have to move rooms"; The Bride; Lauren Brown; Little Pup; Villanova Wildcats= High school Musical Wildcats; "Who drove through my yard"; "We are on Good Times"- Jack King, Glenn Coleman, Winston Hewett, Alex Boone, Brodie Poe, Ross Bradshaw, Peter Briggs; Chase Mathew's house.

First, I would like to thank my parents for paying for my education at MBA and supporting my every decision throughout high school. Secondly, I want to thank all of my friends and comrades on the hill. Each and every one of you have shaped me into the person I am today and the times we have shared together are unforgettable, love you guys. Lastly, I want to thank all my teachers and coaches for their commitment to me as a student and an athlete. Thanks for pushing me in the classroom and on the athletic field. A special thank you goes to Mr. Gioia, for always checking on how I was doing, guiding me in life choices, and showing me how to truly become a gentleman, scholar, and athlete. #RollRed #HailMBA



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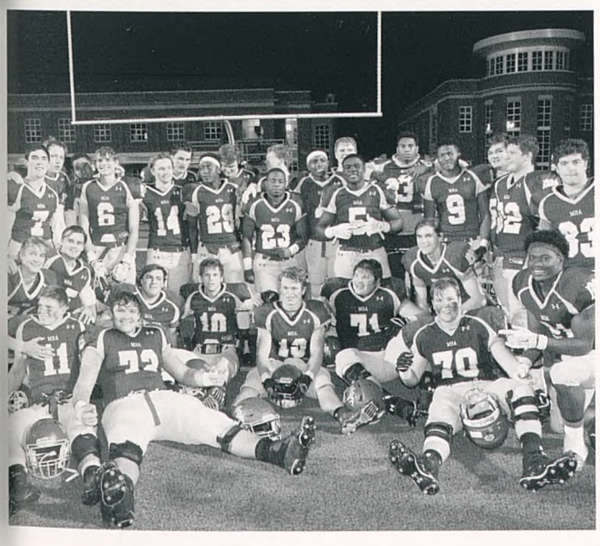
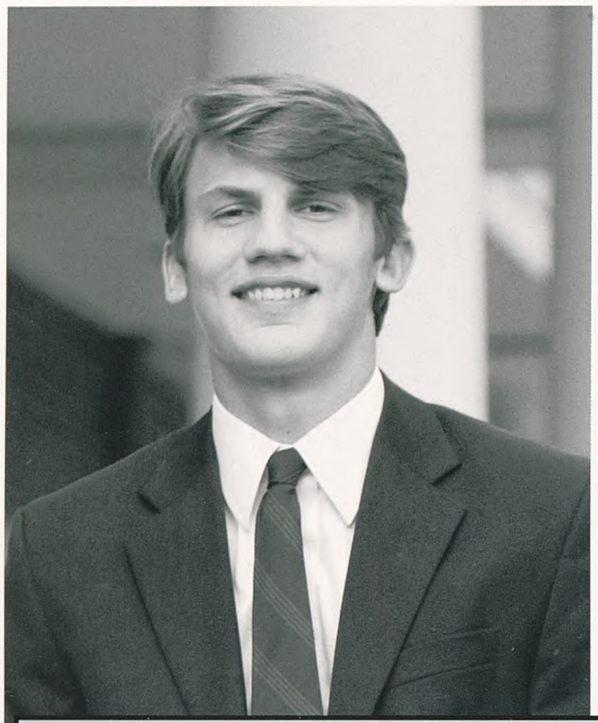


7th and 8th Grade Cross Country; Running with Candy; Quitting 8th grade wrestling; joining the 8th grade play; Spiegl's Class with Max; Mr Hannon's labs; "It's in your notes."; Russell's farm; Snow Day at Russell's; Rusty's Trap House; Student Council; Football (9-12); Best Buddies; Matt's Half Court Shot; ROCK ISLAND; basement ratch; The Annual Trek; the ski-Jahzsticles; Laboratory; "Hey Little guy, what are you doing?"; white sauce; "0 and 12!!"; chicken minis; the Marshall; "Rub my toes Rob!!!" CARL; Murky Jones; Beasley's little toe; Debordieu; watching shooting stars; Roaring Gap with MW; Duck hunting with Benjamin; Turkey hunting with Beasley; August 25th 2013; Winning a State Championship; Team 115 116 and 117; "I cannot walk."; Brother J; "Bilingual interracial Brother"; Ronstiglioni; Glenn Benjamin David Will Alec Winston Gray Russell Max Peter Sam Harrison and Taylor; locker buddies with Winston and JC; Team 117 wood; Bell Buckle; suite mates with Glenn; Waverly TN Duck hunt; Bottomline; replacing Whitson's table; Smith's basement; Get Outta your mind; Thursday Nights; Lacrosse Team with Graves and David freshman year; Peanut Butter and Jelly @Glenn

Thank you to my parents, friends, teachers, and coaches who have helped me through MBA. Coming to MBA was the best decision I have ever made and these past six years have undoubtedly been the best of my life. I'm beyond thankful for Coach Brock, Herr Dougherty, Coach Klausner, and Ms Williams. Without you all, I would not be who I am today. To all of my friends: Thank you for making these six years so much fun and for helping me get through some of my toughest trials and tribulations. All of you are amazing and I can't say thank you enough.

"Optimism is the faith that leads to achievement. Nothing can be done without hope and confidence." - Helen Keller



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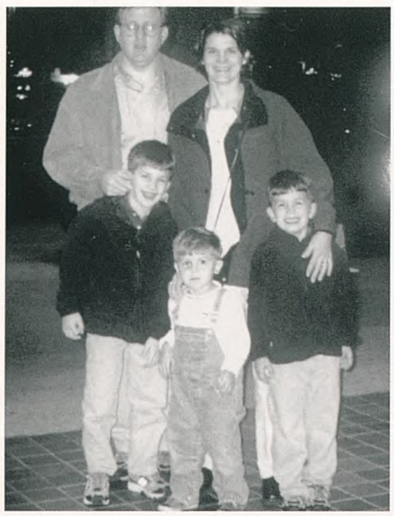
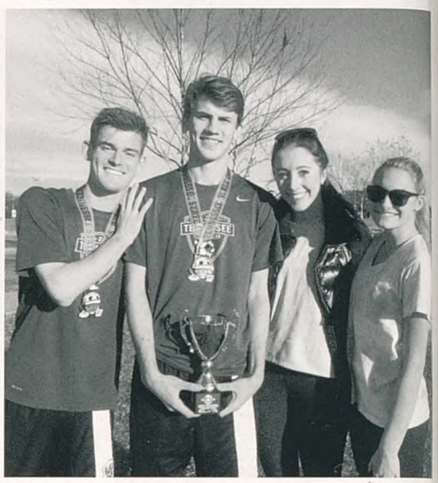


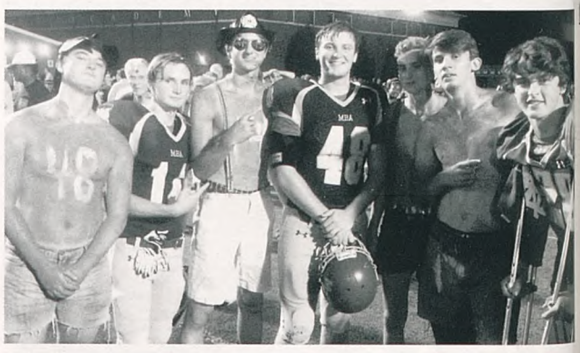


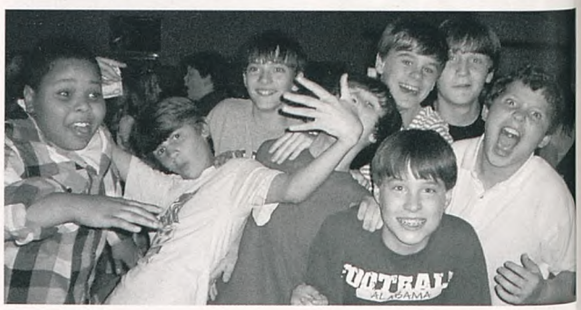
MBA Soccer (9-12) State Champs, MVP (11); MBA Partner Dance Club

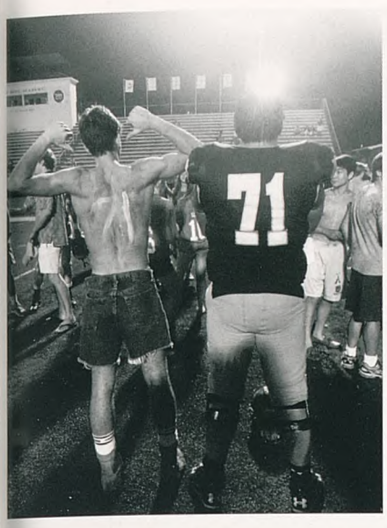
Geo-bros; Daily Deutschisms; pizza party?; Chase's soccer name tag; Art I Komando; Percy Warner runs; Rack City running through Ensworth stadium; Parker's post-first date call; AFTFK dodgeball champions; Schweinsteiger; being Taylor's lab partner for a whole year; post-graduation 2014; Carson's friar costume; football state title game; Iz Diddy Kong on tha track; Adam<3Hannah; prom Chase's house; soccer state title; 5 C's; dancing in the park; the new Chapman; Stanford...?; kenage/dokage; "You can either do your homework or fulfill your legacy."; snack bar

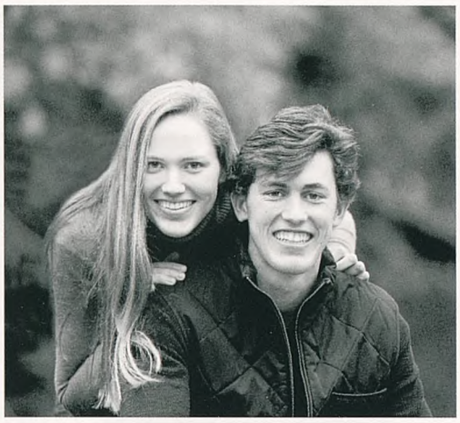
Thank you Coach Cheevers and Coach Klausner for everything you've done in the past 6 years. Also, thanks to Coach Redmond for keeping me in check every morning. Thanks to the Class of 2016 for a great ride, and a massive thank you to all of my unforgettable friends for making every day worthwhile. Finally, a big thank you to my amazing parents and two brothers for doing more than I could ever ask for.

"They misunderestimated me." - G.W.B.









Will Eskew

(8-12) Track & Field, (7-10) Football, (7-10) Basketball, (11-12) Disc Golf Club, (12) Outdoor Club, (11-12) Ambassador Society, (9-12) Honor Council Member, (12) Honor Council President

I-40, Dog Catcher, Football State Championships v. Ensworth and BA, Dani Dancing, "I got a gold medal!" - Yoder, Kinderkids, "Dogmeat," Disc Golf is Life, Fiery Gizzard, Mr. Lawrence's Flute, Whitworth Sharks, #thegut, #boys, Decathlon, Space Cadet, "I want higher grade," New Dining Hall, Harry Potter, Clark Kent, Dancing in the Park, MBA v. BA OT in the rain, Rack City, Big Red Sea, Dog Pound, Paint and Jorts, NFL Street, Rancher @ MTSU, Ole Miss Visor, Fight Night, Grill and Chill, Saturday Football, Charleston, Dignitas, Latin Aphorisms, "My name is Zach, and I am a Potato?," "Princes of Nashville and Kings of Tennessee" - Mrs. Kit, Mustaches, Pole Vaulting, Moonpie, "What are the odds?," Lwala Dodgeball, Pocket Apple, Robert Fagles, Tark's Corn-Hole, Glass Blowing, Corner Church, "Ya Hillbilly!" - Coach Pruitt, Field Day, #SilverSquad, Goofy Gaw, the Trapment, Schnitzel, Resilience, Lowkey ones, Homecoming Court, Coach Shone's Donuts, "Zooboomacrew," Ice Bowl, South Africa 2016, Theme Week, "Eh, that's good enough."

To all of my teachers and coaches, thank you all for your dedication to going beyond your subjects to teach me life lessons. To Mr. Ferrell and Mrs. Lechleiter, thank you for greeting me with smiles every morning. To Mom, Dad, and Julia Jane, I owe everything to y'all. You have no idea how much your patience, compassion, laughter, and encouragement has meant to me. To the boys, thank y'all for all of these previously mentioned experiences, life-long friendships, and endless support. Despite everything we have been through together, somehow we made it.

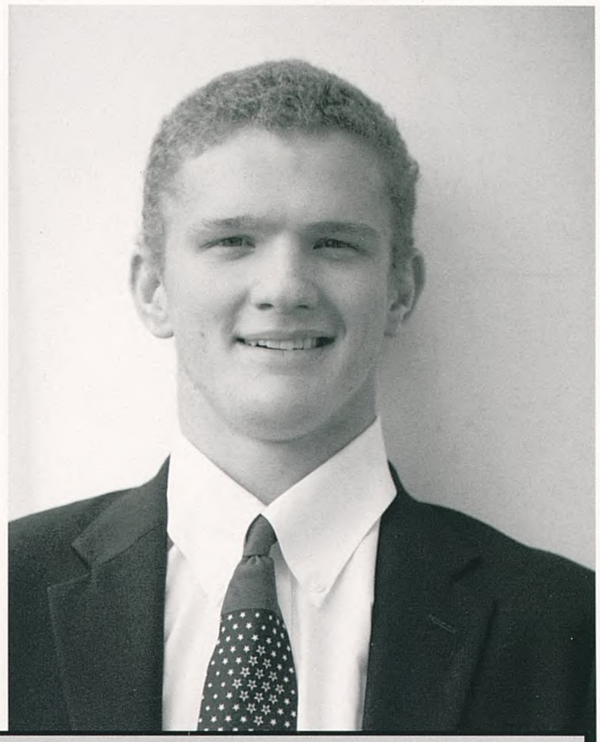
"To give anything less than your best, is to sacrifice the gift." - Steve Prefontaine

Grayson Fettroll

Bowling (9-12); Soccer (9-10); High Bowling Score (11);

The Summer boys; "Why is that something to joke about?!"; The Elite Throwers Club; "Guys I'm going to be a cheese master"; Broad Trip; Mr. Lundgren's step ladder; "I'm geek!"; The Franklin Kids; Poutine; "We have thermoses full of blue cheese!"; Roman candle wars; Pro clubs; Mississippi Mud Pie; "Yeah, you like that?!"; "No thanks I'm vegan"; FC Hype; 100% depression, 99% anger; "These are facts"; racquetball; "What do you think of when you look up at the night sky?"; This is our summer; Coach Linear's silent classes; "Pass the egg"; "Who do you think you are? Hercules?"; Nick Greene's speeches; Cameron's homecoming dance; All Stuff Considered; Our many failed podcasts; "Wow, you look really mad"; Muscle Tree; "And then, the war began..."; "Yeah, try bowling two 299s"; Champions League; Sad Cameron; Ditching Donovan at the pool; Slowlympics; Donovan pushing Cameron off the wall; Spikeball; Beating Donovan at ping pong; The Brobber; Risk parties; scary movie night; NIbbles with gibble's gibbles

Thank you to my family and my teachers for sticking with me through thick and thin. Without you guys, none of this would've been possible.



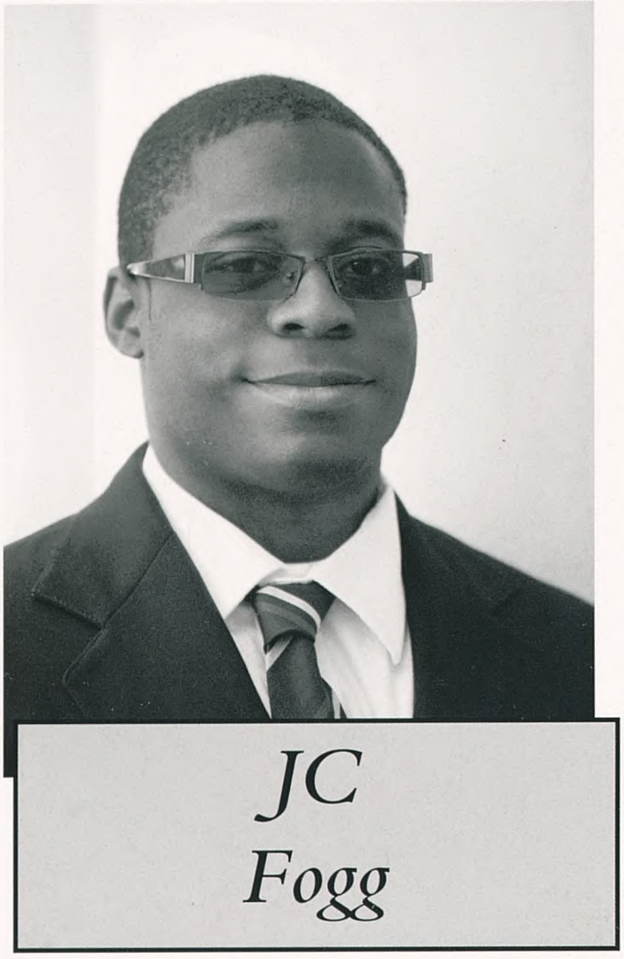
Mark Floyd

the old dining hall in Davis; wrestling with Sam Bellet; Double Down Fridays; the new dining hall- have you seen it?; Davis' backyard; freshman year Palmore; late night sauna sessions; Derek Dooley; wrestling; cutting weight- food?; Stumpwater Camp with Uncle David, Leelee, Big D, Boots, and Jim; tryin to make a puddle; coco the dog; Spring Break fishing with "Legend"- reds for days; river days with Gauge and Hall- "salmon fishing"; not being able to drive; the Sclady; sophomore year; hunting nonstop; Bronson's farm; first deer with bow; wrestling at 145; getting 3rd; eating food; HC; hunting with JM at grandmother's; Chile Burrito; shotgun JV; Spring Break Fishing- Seaside; banished; more river expeditions PEACH; turkey hunting first two; summertime cruisin with the Sclady; Marine Corps; Junior year; Football winning state; Ben Kelly; Mr. Lundgren's world history class; Matt Hopp's comments; socialism; homework; wrestling some more; losing to an FRA kid that one time; more deer hunting; duck hunting at Dr. Jacobson's; building blind at Hall's; Dixie Grace the puppy; good luck; Wyatt, JM, Davis, John; Gadwalls being dumb; geese; no turkey; Prom; Germany; shotgun shooting; Dr. Dickens; Owen Wednesdays; trap house; Paris with Sammy G and Jake; Junior Olympics with dad in Colorado; getting destroyed; working at the Nashville Gun Club; Jay, Dustin, Katherine, Hunter, Mason, Brian, Bennett; tradio chillin; Rawdog; that guy in a tug boat; Caroline Kohl; Twix Bars; Dancing in the Park; Richland Golf Course; Titans games with Carter and Ethan Palmore AP essays; wrestling; Perrweee; sssa; football games; beating Ensworth; Homecoming at Hilburn's; state championship; Donald Trump

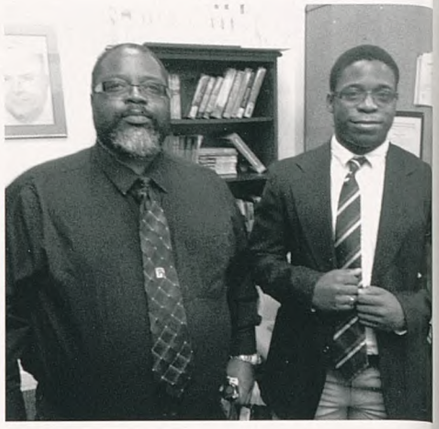
Thank you to everyone who has helped me through, especially dad, mom, John, Jacqueline Big D, Uncle David, Aunt Lee Lee, Boots, Jim, Bita, and Tio Aris.

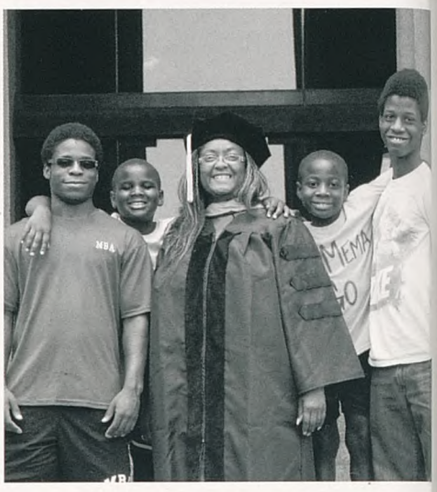
"Not all those who wander are lost."- J.R.R. Tolkien

"There are no easy answers, but there are simple answers. We must have the courage to do what we know is morally right." - Ronald Reagan



JC Fogg



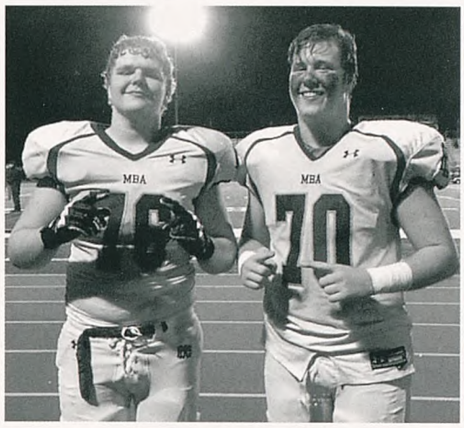


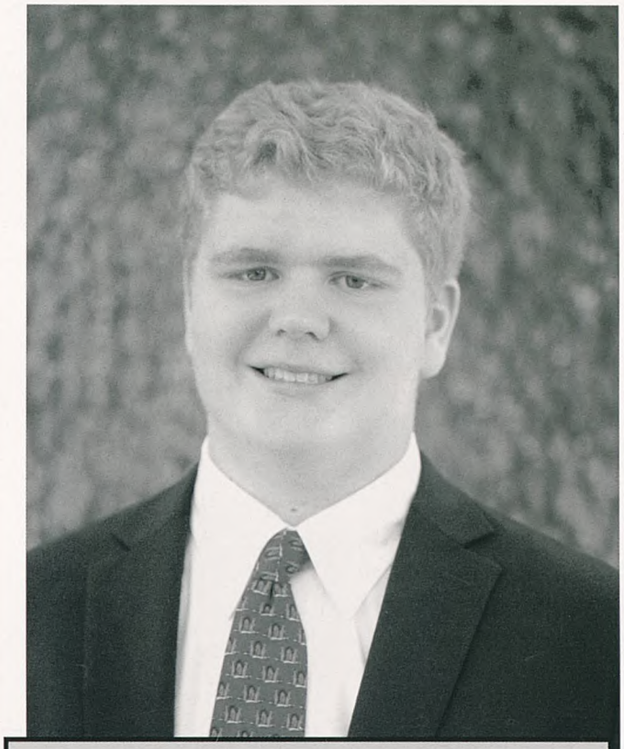
"My name is James Caryl Fogg but you can call me JC"; Brother Fogg; Roll Red or Go to Bed; "I'm going to play Varsity and on Arkansas"; Atlanta Trip
Hypetist; "Marcel. I can't get hypetist with you here"; My Odyssey Project; "Don't underscore Judge. Emphasis on da Jay"; "Lil Hooper 04"; "Why you lying"; "I'm swagging out"; My celebrations after touchdowns; Throwing up during summer workouts; Watching Ty break his helmet; Beating BA in overtime; First time at Bell Buckle; Straight Bread; I am the ball; Break before Norton; Breaking the glass on Mr. Norton's door; Honey Badger just don't care; Jim's/Werner's hair cut; More throwing up during summer workouts; We're going bowling; Singing the alma mater after the State Championship; "He missed it. He missed it MBA defeats Ensworth"; My two point conversion; Cardinal getting destroyed by Silver in field day; not understanding a single thing in math

Making it a whole summer without throwing up; Starting Full Back; Cutting Ben's hair; My german Brother; Zusammen; Mannschaft; Still not understanding Math; Team 117 wood;"You know I hate you"; Nick and Winston singing songs with only the letters J and C; Bruton's haircut; We the champs of Alabama, Chattanooga and Memphis; Dab on dem folks

I would like to thank my family for all their love and motivation when I was struggling. Mom, I love you and thank you for always believing I could succeed at MBA. Dad, I love you too and thank you for always being at any of my events. Tia, I love you so much and thank you for being there whenever I needed you. You are my second mom. Lil bro. Thanks for making me laugh and supporting me in all my games, including the ones against Ryan. Finally thank you Class of 2016 for being brothers that I have/can always count on for a lifetime.

"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today."-Malcolm X
MBA has greatly prepared me for the future and I'm confident I'm ready.





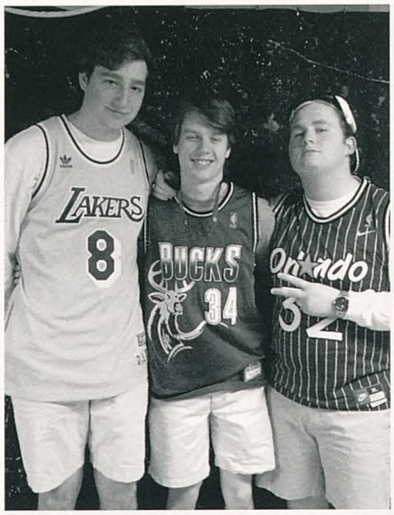
K.P. Frazier

Varsity Football (10-12)
Varsity Track (9-12)
JV Hockey (10, 12)

You're the 144th class; What do you mean you don't know how to diagram; Touchdown Coopertown; Wrestling scoreboard god; haha DALTON; My homework was stolen by Mexicans; Adrian Roper; Johnny Tremain; Mr. Calico's class; Kosodu; Roundtree; they put a rock on my desk; Davis's swear jar; you're mad because i've made more friends than you; Teaching sunday school; Ski Trip; Fish or Fiiish; Jack and Corinne; Freshman football; I WILL FIGHT; You're not gonna reply to the starting MBA QB?; Scowdens scary story; My TD; Coach Lee; DR Trip; ROCKS; Summer School; Team 115; Bell Buckle; Werner's hair; My hair; Scout team; BA Game; Make it Rain; Spring Break; Iceberg Simpson; Went Fishing; I lost my 100 dollar bill; St. Patty's Day; The truth; Houseboat; Team 116; St. Patty's day part 2; 300 Shuttles; Jesse falling down the Hill; Ensworth Game; Father Ryan game; STATE CHAMPS; College Road trip; Miami of Ohio; Homecoming; Jesse; Where's the door; I wanna go home; Lost my allowance for three months; Winter Formal; Is he alive; clutch on the bus; Italy Trip; Team 117; Charging station; The Cavallo Handbook; Stanford; Bailey; UT Vs. Florida Game; Bear Grylls; I don't get it; Madden Challenge; CAP; Somebody tried to Kobe; Hewitt-Trussville Game; El Stuffed Pepper; I love you Xbox; HEYYYYYY; Neri Nights; Goofy Gaw; House Sitting; I love you mom; Lifted Trucks; Vine; German Class: Schtap; USN dance; Mr. Collins; Godfather; I'm not a tree hugger; Lebanon; THUNDER; CBS announcers; Huntin lease; #thegut; Turtle John; Ogre Toes; Eggs Ketchup; Waffle House; Mrs. Mona; Right side; Anchordown bro; GBO!!!; Pipe it up; Scows rap during paradise; Madden with scow; broadcasting; Snow day; Graduation

Thank you to my teachers, friends, and coaches for being wonderful mentors to me during my time at MBA. I would especially like to thank my parents for providing me with the opportunity to attend such a wonderful school and excel in my studies. The memories I had here will be with me for the rest of my life!
"Remember where you came from"

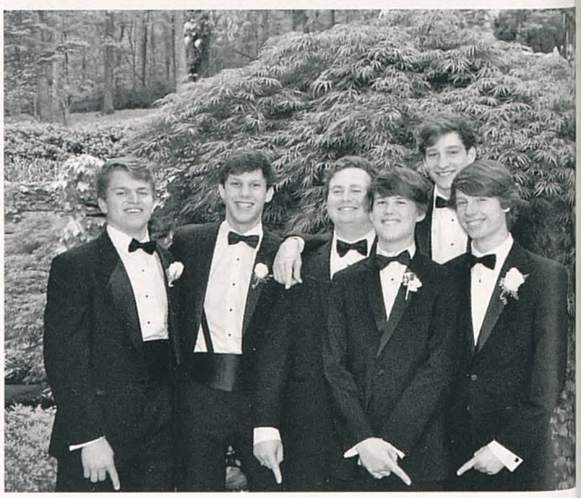
Sam Galanter

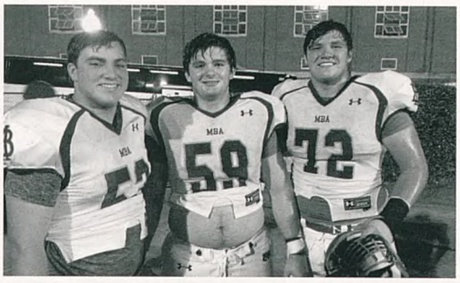


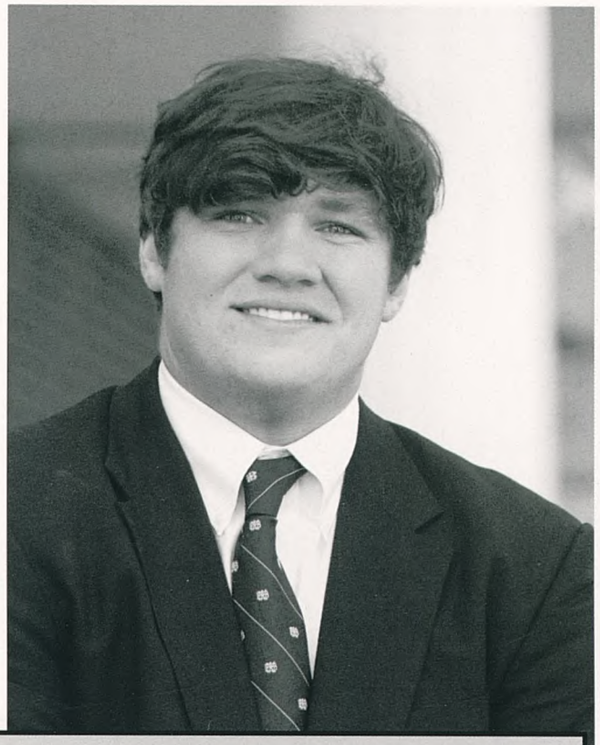
"The tongs were left in the panini maker... someone ate the tongs"; The Crew; Scam entering Berry's class; Ro's grandma's house; The lake; "Have you ever thrown up nachos that you didn't eat, cause I have"; Singapore; Zouk; $44.95; Frank the Tank (who is now know as Big Rick but is really still Frank the Tank); Bonnaroo; Scam crashed into the parking garage; Calico's class; Ski trip; Good times, great dudes; The BA incident; Sully's Gruden face; Dr. Ebola; Exam Skype grind; The Cashew Shenanigans; Lee Lee 99%; BBQ chicken pizza; "Your mom is unacceptable"; Mr. Lundgren; "George, is that your dad? ... MR. LAZENBY"; Oaf Oafington; Pope Moses DePriest; I saw 5 seconds of Pretty Lights; Komodo Dragon; "That was a raw egg"; WATER; Best night ever; "You wanna explain this Jackson?"; The flight school; BBQ chicken pizza; Scam dropped Diggs; War; "Hey, Mr. Bat"; "Wheres Sully?" "I don't know"; "Say what you need to say"-APES; Hitting it; Thats Classic; Diggs=Yokel; Jackson's farm; Cabo; Ireland; Green face Scam; "Doing the Galanter shuffle eh?"; 'Dega baby; "Davidson, Wikipedia is not a credible source"; Scow playing original don in Bernie t's class; The A-list; "Sam, you are 30 seconds late to study hall. Thats 2 demerits."; Real hot dogs and 7-up; The old ladies at Jumbo Seafood; "What in the hell is a convo?"; Tark was so casual; HLGRNF; "I can hear my clogs pouring"; It was Ne-Yo; "Shut up, I have a plan"; Free Gucci.

Thanks to the boys for always being there, my family for sending me to this school, Coach Ardisson, Coach Tark, Señor Paolicchi, and Dr. Dickens

"Real G's move in silence like lasagna"
-Lil Wayne







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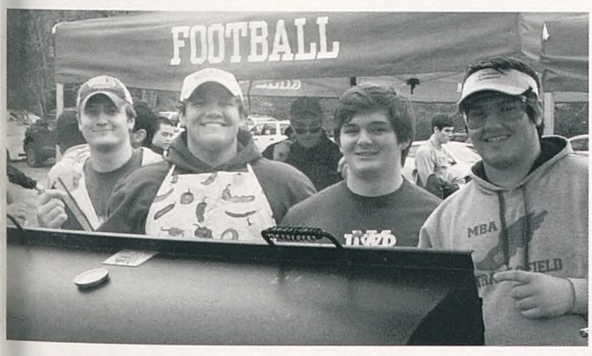

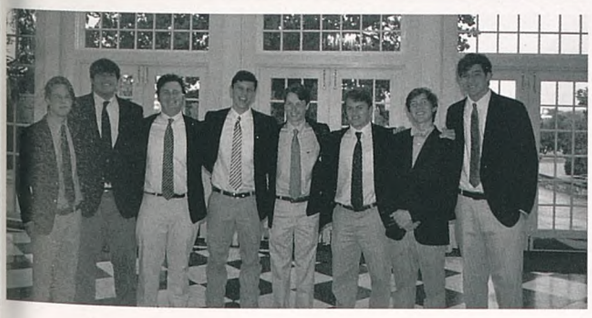

Football 7th-12th, Lacrosse 7th-10th, Wrestling 8th, Track and Field 11th
Art 8th-12th
Best Buddies 11th-12th;

Water's weird, Eggs Ketchup, YEAAAH, Beanie, Robert, Brock Buckle, I luh you but I can't get hype around you, when bullfrogs have shotguns, lists with winston, tony hawk, morning board's, guy night, fierious, Hail Dale, flat tire at rusty's, 5325, Yatco, Scott's, boys club, HAAA-MEEEE, they're saying you don't have a pitcher, the gut, HEY!, turtle, bag o' bones.

I would like to thank all of my teachers and coaches throughout my time at MBA. In particular, Coach Barclay and Herr Dougherty for writing my college recommendations, and for teaching Physics and German as well as many life skills and memories that I will cherish forever. Also, Coach Sanders and Scott Hearon for being strong mentors in my life and helping me through any of my personal issues that I ever needed anyone to talk me through. I'd like to also thank the art department for everything they have helped me accomplish. Another huge thank you to the entire football staff with Coach Eu, Coach Brock, and all the other coaches for pushing me as hard as I could be pushed and not giving up on me whenever I messed up. Finally, I'd like to thank Coach Klausner for being the best advisor and college counselor I could have ever asked for throughout my high school years at MBA.

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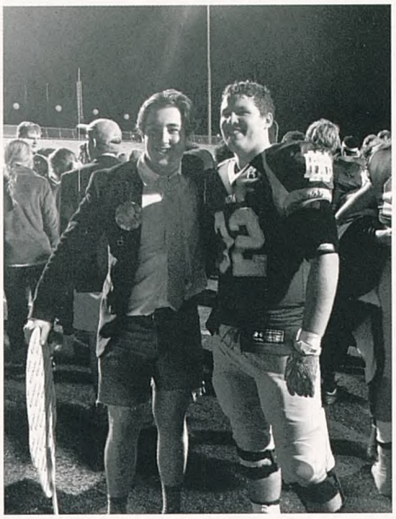
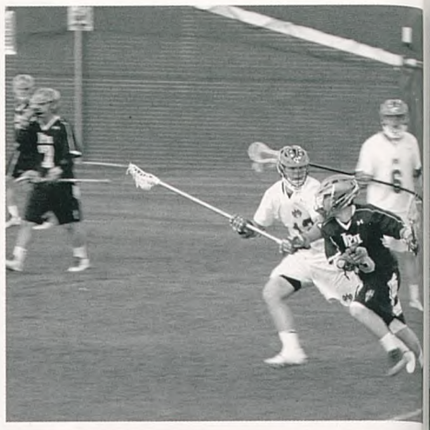
Jim Garrett



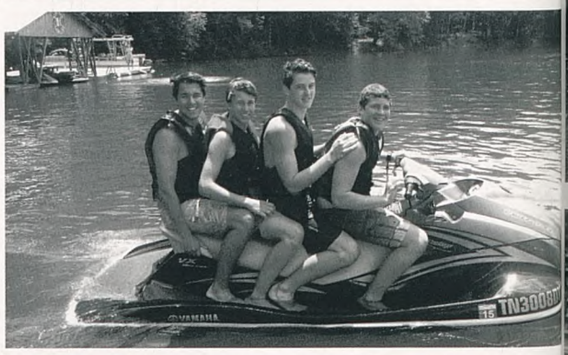


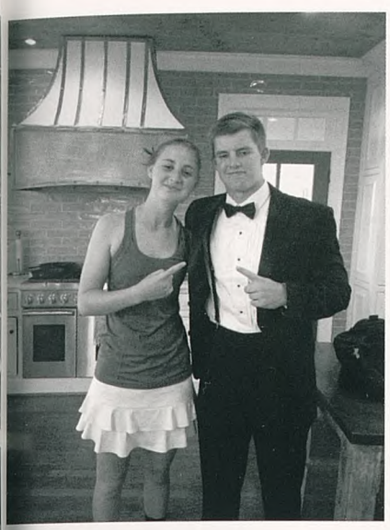
Senior Bio
Football (7-12); wrestling (7-9); Lacrosse (8-12); Vice President of FCA;

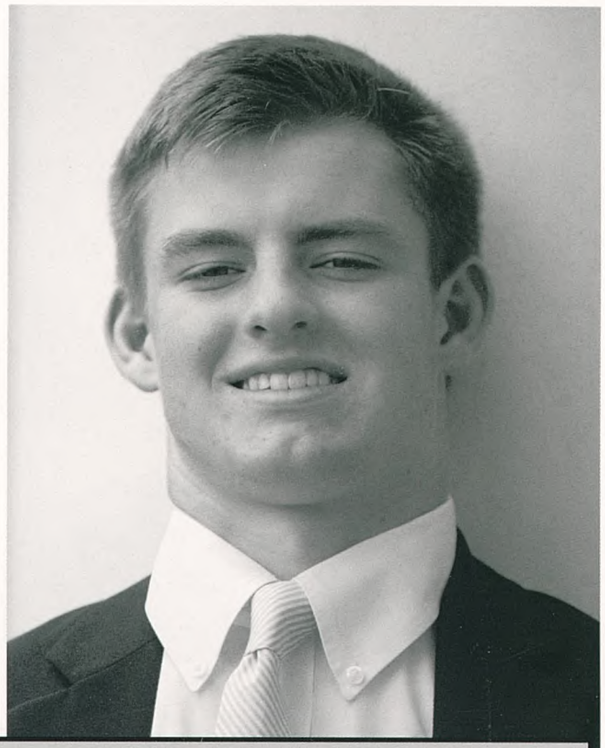
What are the odds?; Bell Buckle; Midnight run; "Linemen up"; 5th's; FCA;NCAA with Jordan; DLP; 7th period naps; Tillman's Advisory; Goofy Gaw; Cookout; Powder Puff; Team 116; Team 117; The Gut; 4th period pizza; 10.8; 2014 state championship; 15 yard line; Brotha J; SammyGstrong; Zang Hew; Yeah Yahn; Bro Beans; Proverbs 24:10

I would like to thank my parents for all they have done for me. They have always supported me in everything I have done. Dad, you have always been at my games and trying to help out the referees during my games. Mom, thank you for always being there and helping me through whatever. Thank you to the teachers for pushing me when I did not always want to pushed. Thank you to all of my coaches for helping me become a better player and a man. Thank you to Brandon and Emeka for healing me up after all my injuries that I have had.

"If you faint in the day of adversity, your strength is small." -Proverbs 24:10







David Gaw

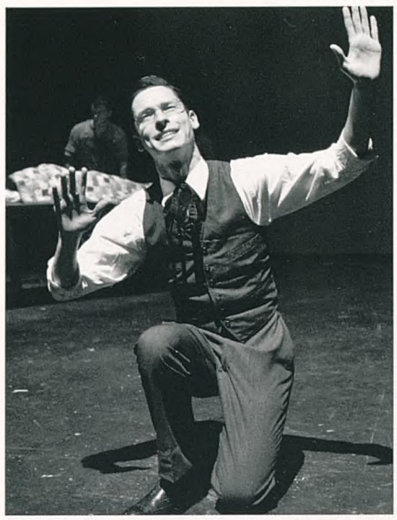
On the Hill: Football(7th-12th; Captain 12th); Baseball(7th-12th); FCA(7th-12th; Officer 12th); Big Red Broadcasting(11th-12th)

Memories: "Hell" Buckle; Team 115, Team 116, Team 117; DAY BY DAY; State Championship; My nicknames: D-Booty, Booty, Goofy Gaw; BONFIRE AT GAWS; Soupy Cheese;"You have any soda?"; Cookie Monster at Prom; The game with J. Scow; Taters;"Ehhh, I don't know"; #thegut; the hot tub; 9-tech with Coach Brock; Chauvin getting mad at Clarke and I every day junior year; FCA Impact weekend-KP sleeping on me; Getting hype during Baylor game; Advisory q of the day; Tin foil breakfast; Riding to school Freshman year with Whit; Die Young; The Sequoia; My parking jobs; Going to Omaha; Saturdays at Papa's; the 5:30 with Sully; 4hr campfire; Daily Haircuts; Crutch Whip Game; For THREEEE

Thank you for everybody who has supported me during my time on The Hill, especially Coach Brock, Mr. Norton, and Mr. Tillman. I would like to thank Mom and Dad and Mimi and Papa for coming to everyone of my games and offering encouragement through the highs and lows. Also, I would like to thank all the dudes in the Class of 2016 for becoming my brother. I will never forget y'all. Roll Red

"It is not the critic who counts; not the man who points out how the strong man stumbles, or where the doer of deeds could have done them better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena, whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood."(Theodore Roosevelt)

Drew Gordon

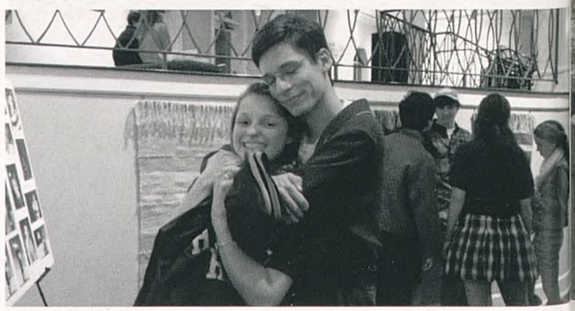


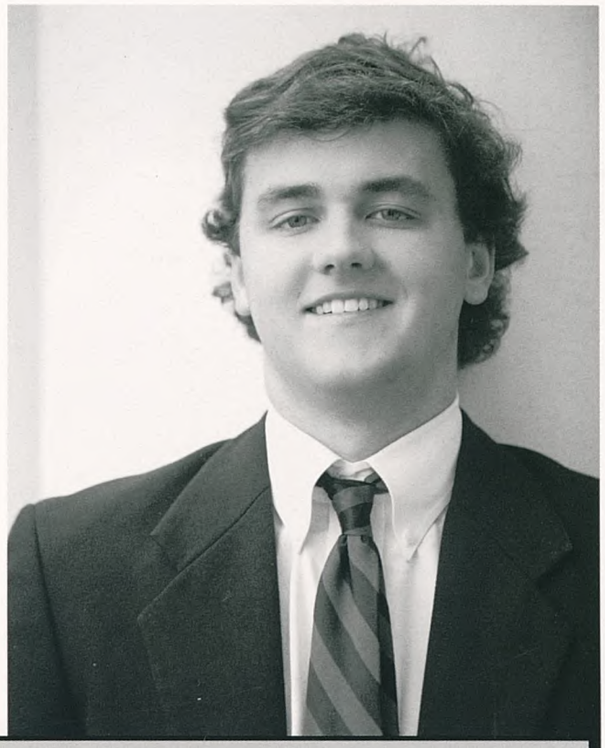
Big Red Chorus, Chamber Choir, Hill Singers, Headmasters Singers (9-12); Mid-State/All-State Chorus (10-12); Latin in Rome (10); CHERUBS! (11); International Thespian Society (9-12); Too Many Shows! (9-12)

Blue hair; "Boys, boys, boys..."; Indecent!; lolbirdboy; SassyMcSasserSass; Lads 'N Plaids with Meg; Splitting infinitives; "Oh my gosh, guys, it actually hurts!"; NPOTS; The eyes...of DR. T.J. ECKLEBURG; Warbling like a bird in Chamber Choir with Chris Burrus; PTERODACTYL!; Being Alive; VIVIT!?; Nothing but clerics; Strike Quick! Strike Deep!; Cacata Carta; Aprishiate Fishi Rishi; "I'm sweating glitter!"; #HELP; "Oedipus Rex by...Socrates?" *shrugs*

I was advised by a director to "give credit where it is actually due" - thus I'm indebted to many of you: to JS English teachers who sparked my creativity; to Mr. Cooper and Mr. Lanier for making me laugh at math; to Mr. Gaither for his stoic pedagogy, aphorisms, and friendship during a hard freshman year; to Mr. Kelly for pushing me to speak my controversial opinions concisely; to Dr. Boyd for advising me wisely and helping me enjoy history for the first time; to Dr. Dickens for honesty through the mundane; to Mr. Merideth for showing me the light at the end of the tunnel; to Mrs. Roberts for helping me more than I even know; to Mr. Gioia for reviving MBA ideals in me as I finish this race; to Mr. Smyth for taking a chance on me - broken, frustrated, and only flickering - and making me into a better performer and man; to Ms. Ellery for showing me the glories of Latin, listening to my rants, and creating a home for me; to Dr. Fuller for nurturing and helping me - even when I rejected it; and to Dr. Seay for directing me deftly, critiquing me when I needed it, always listening and advising, and - most of all - showing me that I can move through this school successfully as an MBA gentleman while entirely being myself. Also, thanks to my parents who sacrificed so much and never gave up on me, even when I was tempted to do so on myself.

I am number 54. BAM!



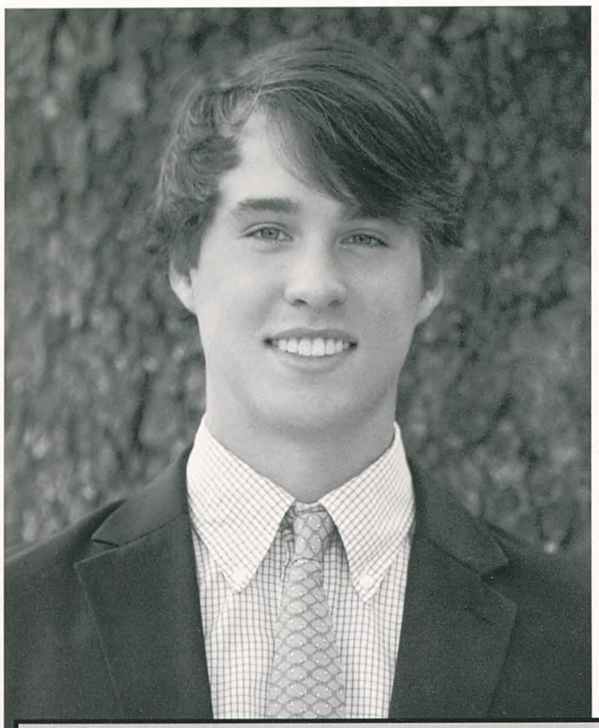


Benjamin Graves

Varsity lacrosse 9th-12th; Team 115 and 116; 2:30 crew; Rusty's Farm; Sea Island trip; Sophomore year first day of Winter break; Brother Caryl; SB in Hawks Cay; SB in Park City Utah; Cheatham WMA blind 16; Double Gates Alabama hunting trip; Semi-final lacrosse win against McCallie; Football State Champs; Rock Island; I can't even waallkk; Zane; Cerebros Pintarsus; Nebergromecioustaliofudacratz; Carl; Good morning "H"; two concussions; Room 1008; BSEA; Buffalo River Youth Duck Hunt; River Chase Farms; Graves Loop Rd; Freshman year Ms. Yu class; Orchestra The Jack Hammer; Rustigly; Family Beach Trip 2015; 3rd floor of Ball; Smith and Johnson Advisories; Bell Buckle; Rack City; The Dawg Pound; David's speaker; Fire hydrant at Russell's farm; Working construction with Hot Rod; Riding to school with Harry; Graves/Maze Family Farm; Every win against EHS; JC and Alec's laughs; No Excuse; 5325; Jabbey Juice; The A-Squad; Thursday night football at Tash's; 4th of July at Hilewa Farm; New Years at Rock Island; The Wise's couch; Snow days at Russell's farm; 1024 at Scott's house

I would like to thank all my friends, family, teachers, and coaches for my past six years at MBA. My time at MBA has truly been the best six years of my life and I would not be where I am today without my MBA experience. You have left amazing footprints, Coach Smith and Mr. Johnson. I am beyond thankful for my MBA experience and I will carry it with me for the rest of my life.

"That's worth a volleyball game in Sea Island" -BWG



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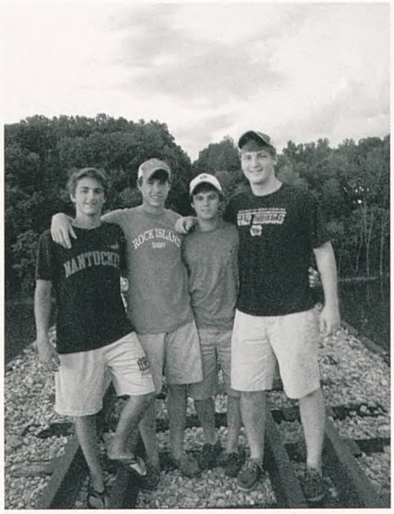
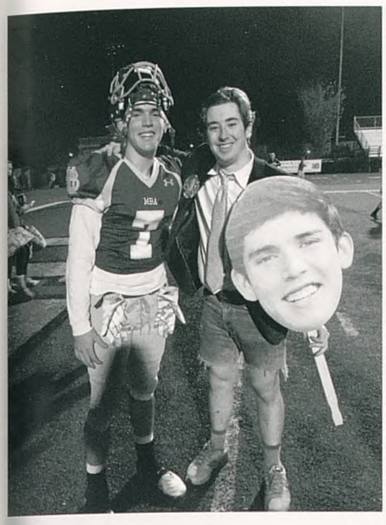


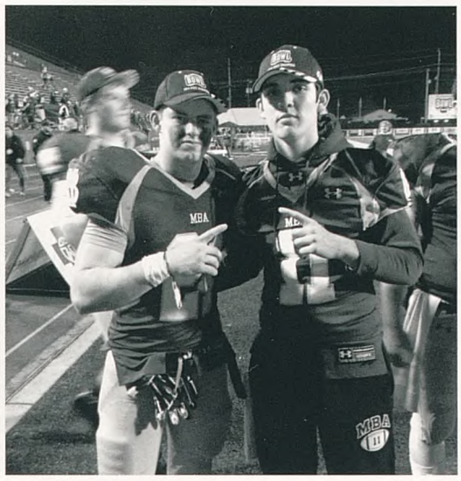
Student Council (9-10); Golf (10-12)

No friends; HH roof; Traphouse; 2015 Baylor Preview; Frtheworst; Big 3; Trios; Yatco; Spaghetti und Bohne kochen; 2014 graduation; golf course got me; Tokyo; really early to Chemistry; Physics packets; 7th grade advisory; Matt Cave; Straya; Russ advisory and pics; The Balls; Gym; Rancher Challenge

Thank you to my family for always supporting me and having confidence in me and my decisions, and also to Herr Dougherty for being an awesome teacher and role model.

"Be more concerned with your character than with your reputation. Your character is what you really are while your reputation is merely what others think you are."





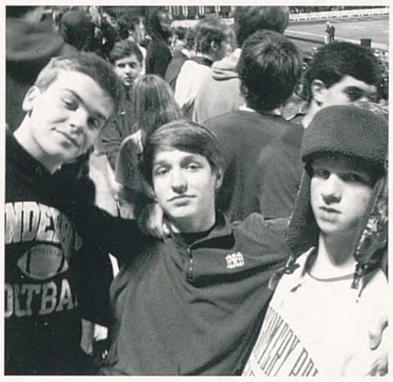
Grant Green

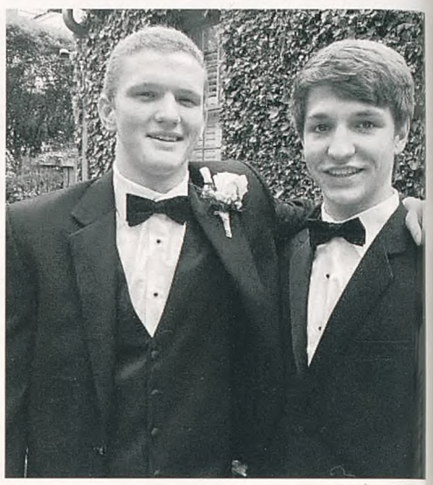
Football (7-12); JV Baseball (10th); Service Club Secretary (12th); Hispanic Achievers Secretary (12th); Cum Laude; Wilson Language Grants (9th, 10th); Wilson Summer Study Grant (11th); Tennessee Spanish Honor Society Treasurer (12th); Paragon Mills Tutoring (10th-12th); Moran Advisory Vice President (12th)

"It's a either/or"; Jesse falling down the hill at Bell Buckle...twice; Lol classic afterparty; Alex and Corinne's breakup; "Where are my keys?"; "Wanna have a deep conversation?"; Jtspray3; Scow's Fairview girls; The $300k gut; G Money; D'On's tangelos presentations; We have a new dining hall; Grill and Chill; JT Moore parking lot; KP's 2 AM crimson chin adventure; nick_countryboy_bland; Bronson's forearms; Bear Grylls and Genevieve; Adam's entering the jungle at UVA; Coach Moran's advisory; Bonfire at Gaw's; Wide Right; "No puedes estudiar"; "Sorry I'm hanging out with Julia"; "Get off me cuh"; MMLA Pomona; Mr. Herring's sixty-style revolutions; Chillemain; HBD Mrs. Qian; Clarke's dance moves; Davis and Bailey's CPA adventures; Dinner and a movie; Scow and Kp's broadcasting; Commodore Bill; gummy bears; HH Powderpuff; Todd todd todd todd todd moran; Dani's pep rally dance; "You rockin?"; Adam's hair; My mojo; What are the odds; "Eh that's a point"; Wes' hair gel; "We're still friends, right?"; KP goes fishing for red snappers; Up in this PIECE; Hkam and Kathryn Brown; McCallie hammer; Chocolate?

Thank you to my teachers and coaches for all their support, especially Señor Paolicchi, Coach Moran and Coach Euverard. Also, thank you to the Wilson family for allowing me to travel to Pomona, Georgia Tech and Colombia. Thanks to my friends for making these six years enjoyable. Finally to my parents, even though I definitely don't express my gratitude enough, I am forever indebted to you for sending me to MBA. I cannot imagine how different my life would be without MBA and I am forever grateful for y'all. Roll Red.

William Hall





Tri-M Music Society (9-12); Rowing (9); Trap and Skeet Team (10-12); Ultimate (11-12); Wilson Language Grant (10-11); Winchester Symposium in Bogota (12); Cellophony (10-12); International Thespian Society (10-12); Spanish Honors Society (11-12); Archives (12); Ellington Band (9-11); Headmaster's Singers (12)

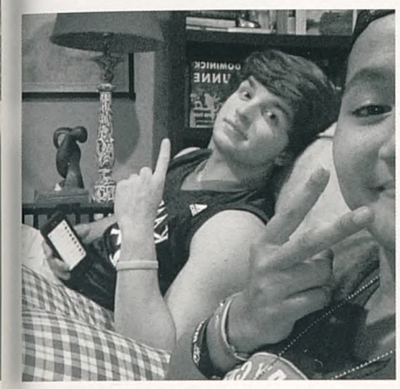
Gillespie 1st period; Atlanta trip; lacrosse with Coach Cooper; bio visuals; the bio g-chat; novice rowing "set the boat"; Rowing time; MMJO, "He's my friend"; "Get out of my class I don't want to see your face"; Meat locker; "golden globes boxer"; corn hole before Tark's class; Silent math with Lanier; Nothing trap you; Mr. Hannon I need to use the chemical shower!; the Rundberg school; big red sea; Freshman spring break with Officer Wendell; the kayak; JC's Ladddin; Lundgren and styrofoam cups, the turkish prayer bowl, I am offended!; 4th period study hall with Peter and Mark; cultivated; Salvador; Bronson's farm; Talks with Dr. Tarkington; "I hate the eagles"; a whole rita; fishing excursions, I'm salmon fishing!; Mark likes peach; shotgun team; Mr. Smyth's requests; MMLA; musica viernes; Floyd's nalgene; slipping into spanish; Kelly quotes; Obdurate pride and steadfast hate; the polaroid; physics is life; something of that ilk; TAKIN' IT

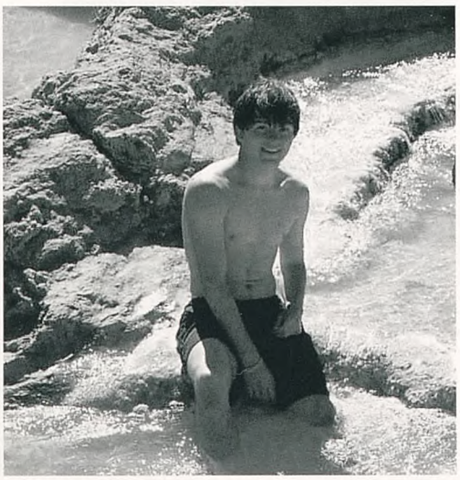
I want to thank the incredible teachers who have made my experience so special. I will never forget you. Thank you for guiding me along the way: Dr. Seay, Mrs. Roberts, Coach K, Señor Kamm, Señor Paolicchi, Mr. Gioia, Coach Klausner, Mr. Kelly, Dr. Tarkington, Coach Ardisson, Dr. Fuller, Mr. Rundberg, and Mr. Smyth. I will carry the things you have taught me for the rest of my life. I am blessed to have been taught by all of you.

To the great friends who have been like brothers, thanks for an amazing six years.

Mom and Dad, thank you for loving me unconditionally, listening patiently, and giving me the opportunity to attend MBA. I am a better man because of it.

"The most wasted of all days is one without laughter." - e.e. cummings





Hayne Hamilton

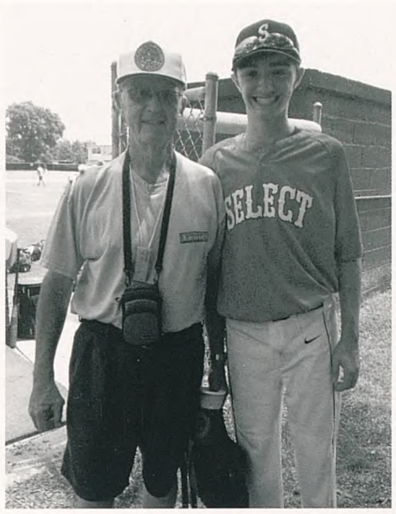
Track (9-12) (4 Year-Letter-Winner); Cross Country (10-11); Microbe Football (7-8); Microbe Track (7-8); Johnny Tremain (8); The One Acts (12); FC Hype (10-12); Founder's Day Race (11);

HaynePainTrain; "Look at that set of hair"; Good times Great dudes; "Dad?"; Denton; "What does this say?"; Madi; Miami Bae?; Runner who Hates Running; "I LOVE fantasy football!" (1 week later) "I HATE fantasy football!"; COOOOMBS; "I lost the game"; Guy Who Didn't Try in the Founder's Day Race; "Come by my office for a razor and shaving cream"; Tank Tops; "I hurt my foot"; "Dude you lift?"; Churchball 6th Man of the Year; "It actually huurrtt!"; Roll Red; "Rayo Blanco"; Worst at hiding his phone; "My arms aren't big enough!"; "LeBraann James"; Dr. Baily's puns; 8th grade Emergency Quarterback; "Typical Frat Boy"; 5'6 since 7th grade; HFGT;

I would like to thank all my teachers at MBA who have helped me gain more knowledge. Special thanks to the following favorite teachers: Mr. Anderson for scaring me as a little 7th grader but proving to be an outstanding teacher through 8th grade, Mr. Berry for always keeping the class focused and entertained even in Latin, Senior Paolicchi for forcing me to never speak the english language ever again, Dr. Dickens for actually helping me in a science course, and Coach Shone for all his interesting stories. I would also like to thank my other favorite teachers: Coach Barclay, Coach Klausner, Dr. Fuller, Mr. Hutton, Coach Moran, Dr. Bailey, Coach Anglin, and Coach Tipps. I am sorry if I left anyone out. I would like to thank all my track coaches: Coach Russell, Coach Pruitt, Coach Pippin, Coach Sanders, Coach Russ, Coach Kamm, and Coach Tyler. Thanks to my adviser Coach Pippin. I would like to give a big thank you to Mrs Williams for always keeping me on track and focused on my studies. I also wish to thank Dr Seay for all he has done for MBA and myself.

"I'm just here so I don't get fined." - Marshawn Lynch

Hunter Hamilton



Totomoi(11,12); Cum Laude(11,12); Student Council(9,10,12); Cross Country(7-12),Captain(12); Swimming(7-12), Captain(12); Track(9-12); Jazz Band(7-12); Bible Study(10-12); Model UN(11,12); Science Olympiad(11,12); Glen Leven(8-12); Paragon Mills(11,12); Baseball(7-9)

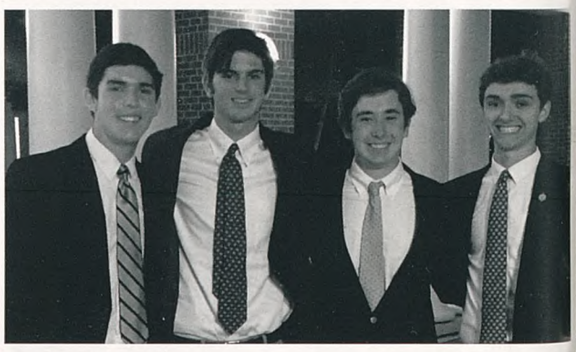
Mulch track; literature/composition; meaning of life; Brock; Halo; Bronson's rap; Morsels; "makes me laugh"; Footloose; Halloween; arm taps; "it's snowing"; GoGo; Atlanta trip; Mardi Gras; FRANDS; psych nights; says you; Phoenicians; titillated risibles; what are do?; ETP; JO; vine street; "people die every day"; Washington loop; this or this? Yes!; license; speed trap; 8011; geocaching; runs before school; wf 2k14; Caleb's spring break advice; all nighter; Las montañas; 11/1/2014; hoedown; disc golf; serious talks with Cole/Richard; rings/math/football; the bubble; running before practice; dance hall days; tone slap; tacticals; city/regions/state; post-state stadium run; king's society; essays; Hillsdale/G-town; "Mr. Bee"; cook-out; greep; Mrs. Lechleiter's office; Memphis

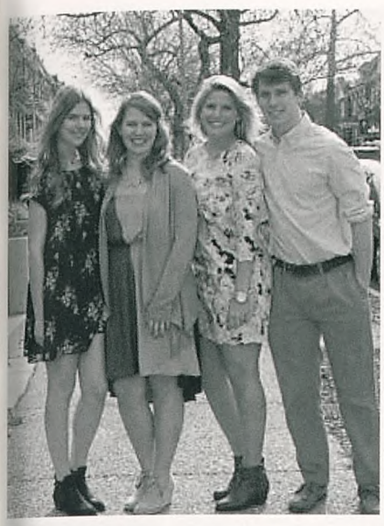
It's certainly not possible to cram six (and, in some cases, eighteen) years worth of thank yous on a tiny page, but here goes.

So many thanks, first and foremost, to my parents. Without your love and guidance, I don't know where I'd be now. Thank you for never giving up on me and always encouraging me to do my best.

Lady—Thank you for your kind heart and all those times you made my breakfast. Enjoy every moment these next two years—they'll go by faster than you think. Keep doing you, and you'll turn out all right. Bud—I couldn't ask for a better person to call my grandfather. Thank you for coming to as many of my events as was humanly possible and for your words of wisdom. Thank you Coach Russ, Coach Pruitt, and Coach Kamm for your consideration, patience, and thoughtful instruction. Your encouragement is what fostered my love of running. Thank you to all of my teachers for your dedication. So many thanks finally to the Covenant Youth Staff. I love you guys.

These past six years have been phenomenal, and I wouldn't trade them for anything. I'd probably even do them all over again. Now whether MBA or college is harder, I've heard it both ways, but I really hope it's the former.





Carter Heckle

Wrestling; Football; Track and Field; Disc Golf; Wrestling; Service Club; Math Team; Wrestling

You lose!; bonam fortunam; longest drive; BBQ day!; the lawnmower; what are those?!; who needs putting anyway; tertiary color theory; Dunning-Kruger effect; "disappointment is my constant companion"; long mountain; don't put that poison in your body; gunga galunga... uh gunga lagunga; emmalemmadingdong; hot chicken; thats kinda hot... chicken; really, really hot chicken; team silver; team AFTFK; Flukes of Edenborough; you can be my wingman any day; Interstellar; Indiana Jim; fly fishing; fight like a gladiator; what a dingus; I see how it is; boi; my name is Zach and I am a potato; stick golf; #TheGut; what are the odds; I've only ever gotten sick once; hey bear, get away from my family; NFL Street; Absoloodle; Jaws; to be or not to be; Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy; cold turkey; what are doing?; I wouldn't trust a wood truss; very punny; he doesn't even cara; G35; definitely not a ricer though; The Who; Fiery Gizzard Trail; the "look! More rocks" Trail; astrophotography; shoulders; Winston Churchill; The Great Witch Trial of 2014; Beowulf; The American Man; the disc golf downpour; Jarbo the Hunt; camping; corn Murph; Sharknado; Punkchar, Phloyd, Scute, Mow, and Mr. President, thanks

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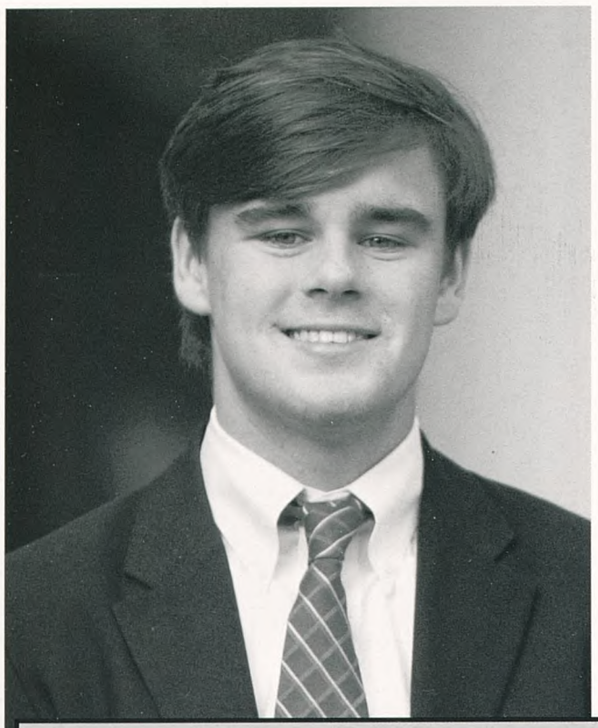
"Man, when you lose your laugh you lose your footing" – Ken Kesey

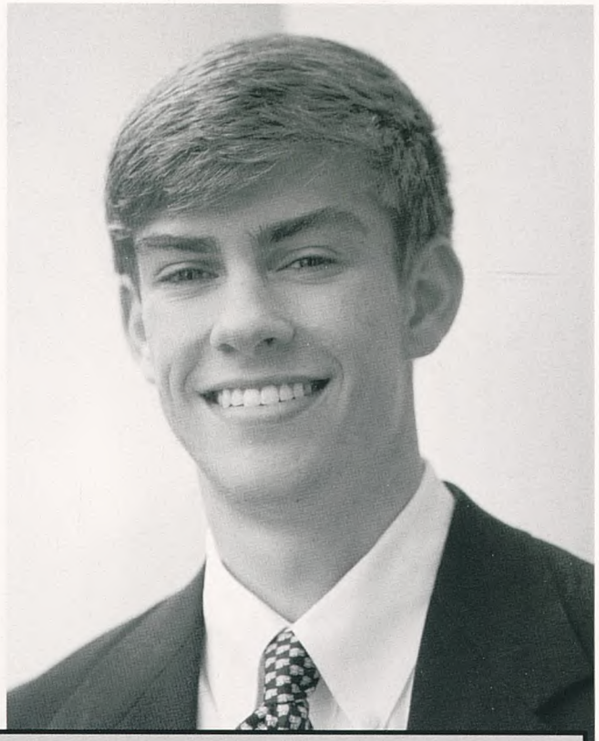


Winston Hewett

Baseball (7th-12th)
Swimming (7th-9th)
Big Red Chorus

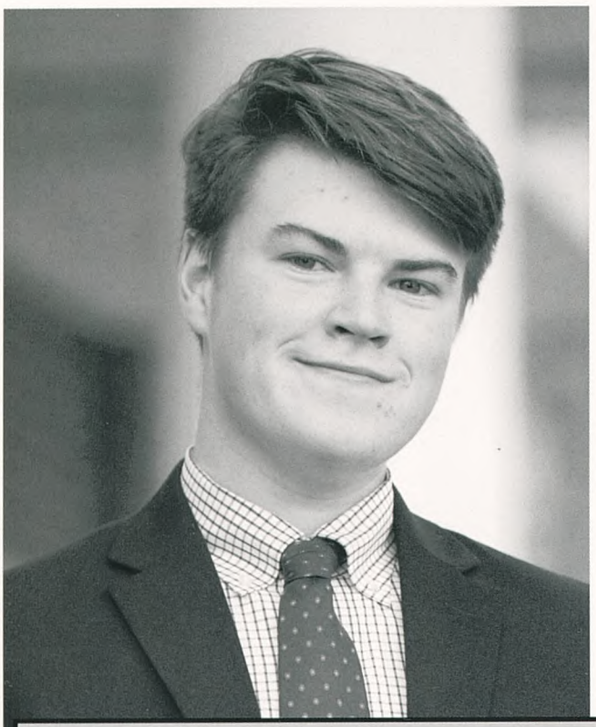
Freshman HC @ Petes house where it all began, RI ,CI, CARL, chicken minis, the trek, Gray jumping off the bridge, "hi my name is pookie" , Jahz and the jahzticles, Ben got iced, guy feiri night, Gray b'cruisin, 5325, Monte in the trunk, "hey smith show me how u sleep sometimes" , k-slam, G-hills mcdanks, late night/Trio night, SB in Rosemary, ADED, 1,2,3-7, the spot and Gina at Texaco, Currey Farmhouse, fighting Downey in LB clubhouse on 4th of July, HW crew, Fab5, FPC churchball, BCT, MMJO, Deutch Sophomore math class, RIP Malone, Trap house, the summer of eddie, Project O, thot tub, Conner tweeting numbers, Downey house HC x 2, Werner's lake house senior HC, "Get outta your mind", Winning the state championship 2014 and the late night cruises after, Breakfast crew after early morning workouts, the early morning marathon with Rudy, Estes, and Kong, 20 yard line gang, chop squad, Friday night lights, Gaw's girls at the Portofino, Coach Rim, Werner's haircut at bell buckle, midnight run, eggs ketchup Kelly, "adventure" with Peter, , Winston Wednesdays with John, "schillinged" with Dave, "hey..howdy..shrew" FB Friday with Gray at the smiths, "dawgs on top"

I would like to give a special thanks to my parents who have had my back since day one and for raising me to become the man I am today. Thank you to the teachers and coaches who have made MBA such a great experience. Finally, thanks for the friendships that will last a lifetime. Roll Red

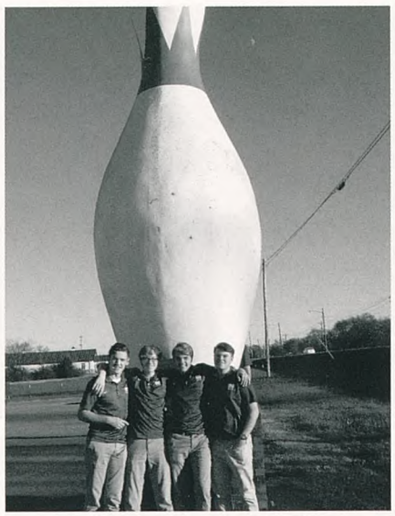


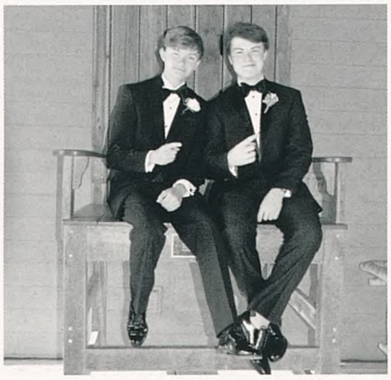
Alex Hilburn

Alma Mater
Hail MBA of thee we sing
Now and forever more.
Long may the bells of glory ring,
As in the days of yore.
Hail to thee! Hail to thee!
Where loyal hearts and friendship dwell.
On and On! Faithfully,
Hail Montgomery Bell!



Brinton Hoover





Activities: Junior Varsity Lacrosse(9);Varsity Lacrosse(10);Varsity Trap and Skeet Team(11-12);Varsity Bowling(9-12);Science Olympiad(9-12);Roll Red Scholars Club(9-12); Model United Nations(11-12);Financial Analysis Club(11-12);Stock Market Club (9-12); Business Club (9-12);History Club(9-12);Classics Club(10-12); MBA Cricket Club (12)

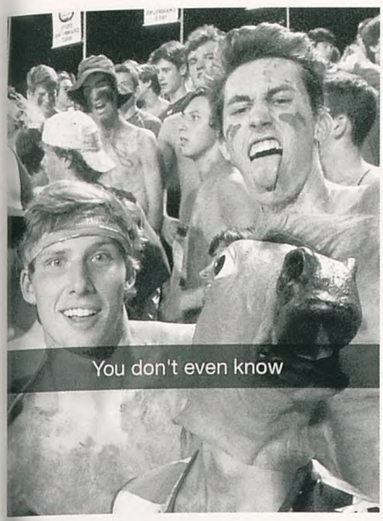
Sharp type; Monday routine; 40 is the new 90; Gaither's Aphorisms; It's an either or; Sleep deprivation; Physics test multiple choice; Mcdougal's; FC Hype; Dev heart emoticon; 263; Benton's house; Arsonist and chill; Salsa Sam; Esoteric Activities; New Dining Hall; Lame calculator; 5 minutes of calculus 45 minutes of highly educated opinions with Coach Shone; World History AP; IT'S A TRAP; Deutschisms; B_hooves; Bringrin; Saudi Arabia 2; Rosemary and Seaside; Hercules; Commander Carr's compliments; Bowling group chats; Practicing outside of class; Nightly reading; Live on the Green; Errands; MUN Yik Yak; Smash Bros; Mr. Kelly's Wife's theme day cookies; Where's Corbitt; South African exchange students; Stress; Cramming during break; Cheeky banter

I would like to thank my parents, my friends, and my teachers for supporting me in all my endeavors and for getting me through these past 6 years. I am thankful for having Dr. Marro as an advisor for the last 4 years. I would like to give a thanks to MBA, the Wilson Family, and the Warner family for providing me with opportunities to not only explore opportunities locally but also internationally.

"Have read little and understood less." James Joyce, A Portrait of the Artist as a Young Man

"Less brilliant but more profound"- Joseph Conrad, Heart of Darkness

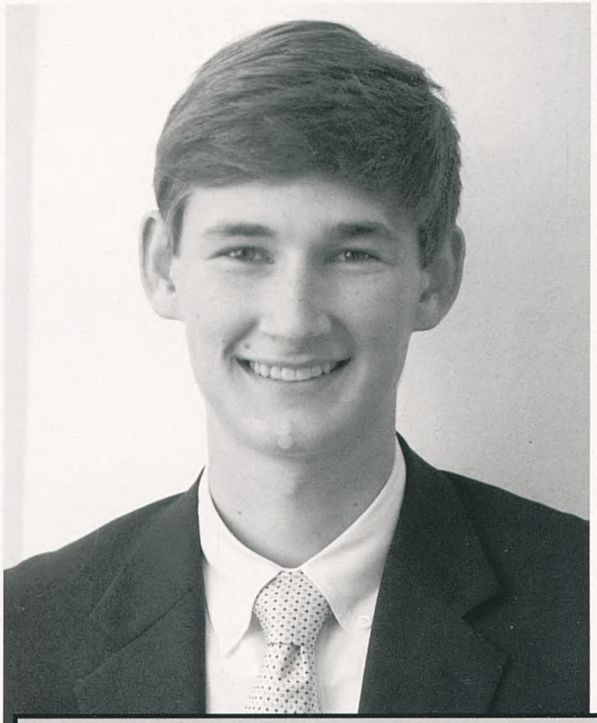
"Veni, vidi, vici"- Julius Caesar



Matt Hopp

7th: Football; 8th: Crew; 9th: Crew; 10th: Crew; 11th: Crew; 12th: Crew (team captain)
7th: Mrs. Roberts: diagrams, Diet Coke, Yankees; dodging Anderson; the gauntlet; IPS: Christian's density challenges, Marro's intimidation; math: posters, Alec hearing blue; Candy 8th: Stewart: dsmith, Dalton throwing markers, passing notes; first demerits "sleeping"; starting crew...on accident, spiegl: rockin?, soil; Atlanta: Joe Vasquez's "ginger ale", Braves game 9th: bio: chromosomes, gchat, lindy; wayne's world: cross talk, daily excitement, coach B, axe-bombs, Fagles; crew continues: bus rides, sherlamb?, hotel noise complaints; geometry: self-taught, dropping pencils, KP forgot paper, kusodu, "im confused," hallway, 1st sem exam review sesh 10th: driving: malone's tahoe, phelps's truck, garage burnouts; lc; chem: CDR Carr, sit down and shut up, sophomore bees/miley twerking, cameron get a room; math: Qian, the best notes, carson that's 5, you are stupid boy, so bad, make them untouch, luca pow; crew: seniors 11th: Ring Day/State Championship: best day ever; farm party: get your log; Physics: Dickens' Cider, lasers, is this a class?, where is barrick?, vector tips; English: kinch's college pics, bill burr, movie day, shaq, HH collaboration...bad news, no tattoos no arrests; Math: Davidson, jeopardy, chess; Hoco: wedding leftovers, daniel's life advice, dead fish slap, porch naps; Prom: please don't swim, bronson's date, pick that one up; crew: chatt...not memphis, airstrikes, cops, swimming, helmets, cracker barrel birthdays, "allowed to drive," wegatta regatta, bow seat row cameron row, pledgeship, no more tacos, 90s playlist, north star, yikyak. 12th: college stuff; seniority; econ: Lech's degrees, dating advice; math: Gogo, BRING THE HEAT, kennage, obvioso, sheriff; chem: deja-vu, ap scale, snag a slice, kinda hot today; euro: ufc, stackmaster; hoco: tents, family dome, barton, heavy bag, cooler spider, 'murica v. australia; kelly's: hayride/blue lights, cat fight, fcpa; crew: brandy?, craig perry "what is steady state," finding speed, HoTS 14:44, one incredible turnaround

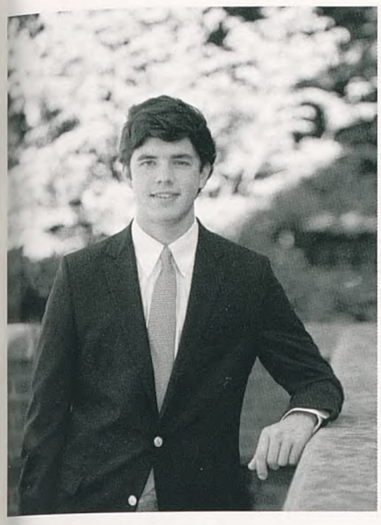
Thank you everyone who has made MBA possible... parents, teachers, coaches. I appreciate and will miss all of you in college.
- Always remember the difference between can and allowed to

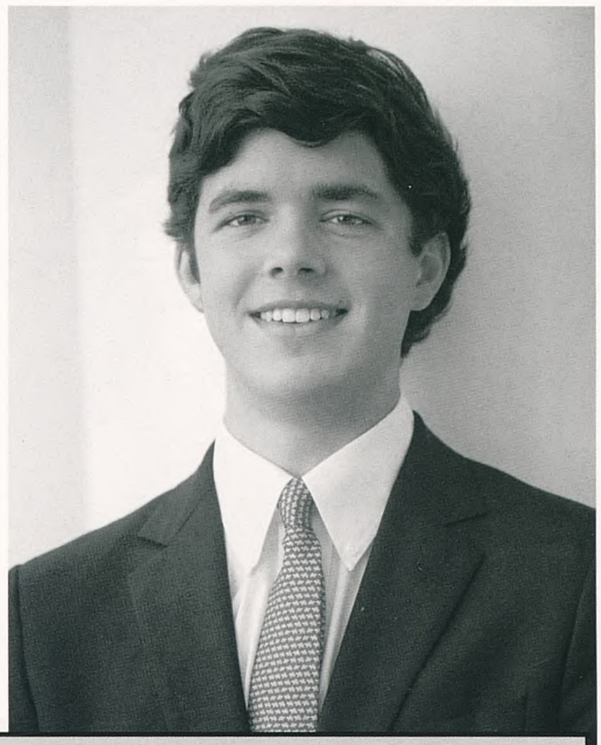


Conner Huff

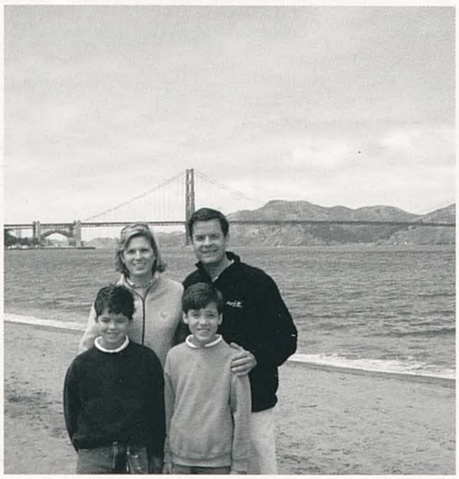
In my freshman year I participated in Crew in the fall and spring and I played Ultimate Frisbee in the winter. I was a coxswain in the spring and a rower in the fall. Freshman year was my first year to play Ultimate Frisbee. Frisbee quickly became my favorite sport. In Sophomore year, I rowed in the fall, played Ultimate in the winter, and then played soccer in the spring. I had not played soccer since my seventh grade year, and I realized how much I missed the sport. I spent my entire Junior year playing soccer. In my senior year, I played ultimate frisbee again. My favorite times as a student at Montgomery Bell Academy occurred on the MBA Appalachian Trail Trip, the MBA Out West Trip, and the first year of FC Hype. The Appalachian Trail Trip was my first backpacking trip. Despite a constant, hard rain, I enjoyed the trip and returned the following year for the Out West Trip. On the Out West Trip, I was given the opportunity to complete a bucket-list accomplishment, hiking to the top of Half Dome in Yosemite. Both trips grew my love of and appreciation for the outdoors. FC Hype was fun soccer with some great guys.

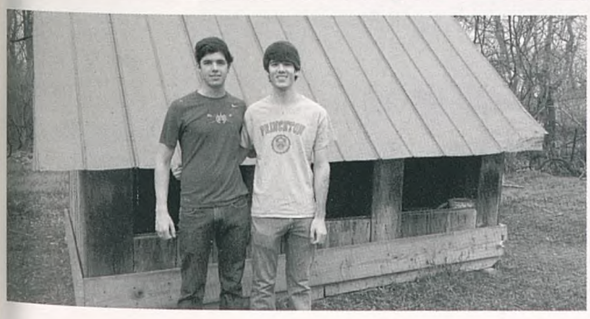
The first people I wish to thank are my Mom and my Dad for sending me to MBA and for being the most loving and generous parents that anyone could hope to have. Next, I would like to thank Grammy, Papa, Haley, Grace, David, Amy, Todd, Avery, Mallory, Matt, Marcy, Matthew, Andrew, Mr. Anderson, Mrs. Anderson, Laws, and Clayton for your love and support. I also wish to thank Jordan, Yaza, Luke, Katie, Patience, Emma, Hannah, Troy, and Sean Michael for being such an accepting, kind, and honest group of friends. Finally, I would like to thank Dr. Bailey, Captain Norton, Mr. Dougherty, Coach Klausner, Mrs. Lechleiter, and Mrs. Roberts for being good mentors and teachers during my time on The Hill.





Bronson Ingram





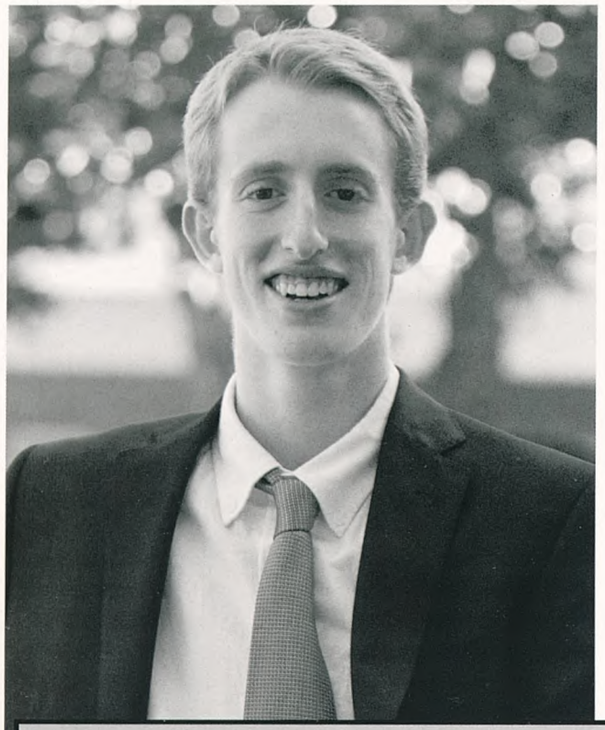
Athletics:
Freshman Year: Soccer
Sophomore-Senior Year: Rowing
Awards:
Broke the MBA 5k erg record Senior year: 17:59 (147.9 split)
Rowing team Captain (2015)
Most Valuable Novice Rower (2013)
Wilson Grant to UNC Wilmington: Underwater Photography
Wilson Grant to Pomona College: MMLA Language Immersion
Warner Grant to Melbourne Grammar School

Working on the farm; Flux Pavilion; Davis's shoe; Bonnaroo 4x; my name is John... No it's Dave; my death; it doesn't matter; brandy's boat pups; we got waffle house; What are the odds?; UTK marathon; 26; "quick, how do I make my arm look less juvenile;" Alex got new subs... again; Panama City; Pomona was Klutch; Asian spice Market; Percy Warner golf antics; steeple chase; Biology (H); Stag: to go to a formal dance without a date; Guardians of the Galaxy; the handshake; best stern pair in the south; beating McCallie at Secret City by less than 1 sec.; Thanks Perry; The Crown; why are all of my friends getting into paintball accidents?; Zac.. Taylor Swift was awesome; Let's go to Stroud's house; It's our one year anniversary; Ally and I need a peace treaty; ski trip; Ke$ha; Knights of Cydonia; the brotherhood of the traveling wrestling shirt; Marriage! Marriage is Imminent!; the rowing scale; the dungeon and Arty; Anything Matt has ever said; "There's no more tacos;" House binging, Coffee and late nights.

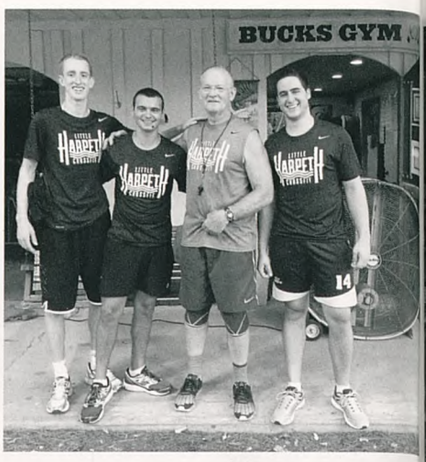
"It's better to ask forgiveness than permission"

Thanks to my parents, my teachers, my coaches, my advisor, my brother, and all the people who have taught me so much over the past six years.
Mom and Dad, words can't describe how grateful I am to be your son.

Roll Red



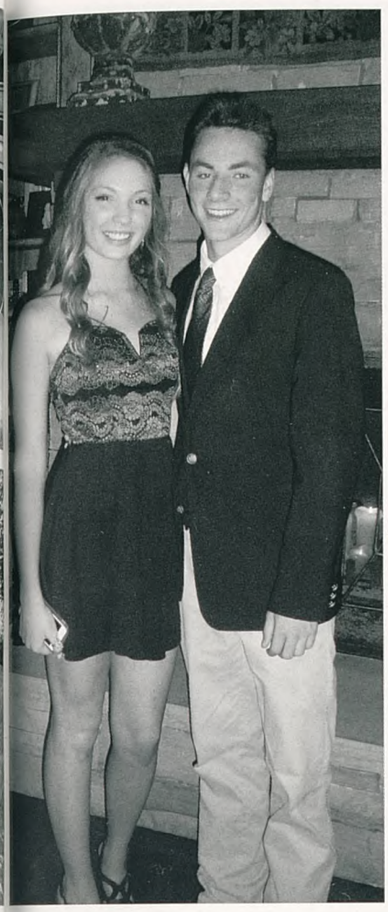
Sam Jacobson



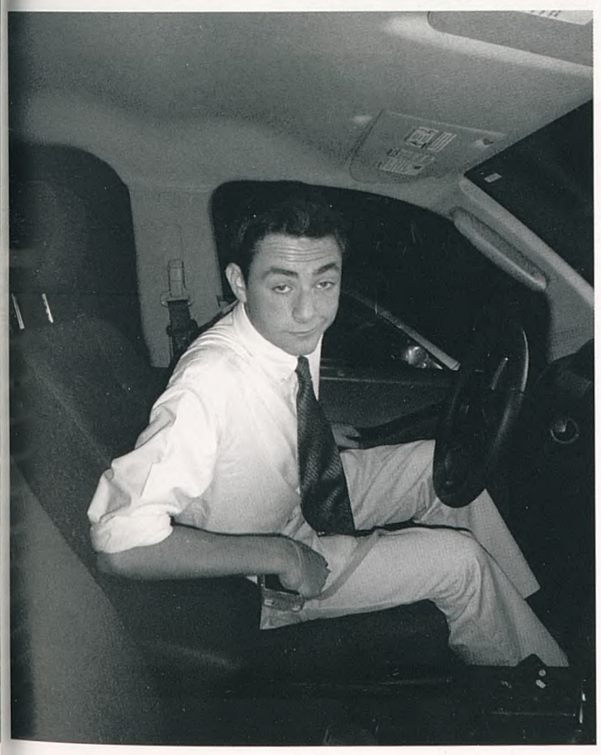
Throughout my time at MBA, I have been taught the importance of time management, diligence, and overall grit. I love homework and this was evident because of just how much homework I had here on The Hill. From seventh grade through twelfth grade I am thankful for having at least 4 hours of homework each night. This amount of homework completely ruined my weekends, but I was still able to see the overall importance of it. I discerned that the countless hours spent scrutinizing over coursework would make me into a better man (so the school says). I did not participate in many activities while at MBA due to the prodigious amount of homework, however, I managed to play basketball, run track, play ultimate Frisbee, and "compete" for the strength and conditioning team.

I would like to thank my parents for sending me to this school. By sending me to MBA they have provided me with innumerable activities that might not be found elsewhere. As I left Ensworth after sixth grade, I embarked on a long and arduous journey that now has finally come to an abrupt end. I would not be able to reach this important junction in my academic career without my family and friends. I went through some tough times while at MBA, but many people were there to console my grief rather than reprimand me for it. From this I was able to understand the importance of community. I feel the saying, "It takes a village to raise a kid" really applies to me. I always had a whole community of people, not associated with MBA, looking out for my well-being. For this I am thankful. Although I might not have completely enjoyed my time at MBA, I am thankful for being able to attend. I know this is an esoteric academic institution, and as aforementioned I am truly grateful for being a part of it.

"If you will it, it is no dream"- Theodore Herzl



Zac Jernigan

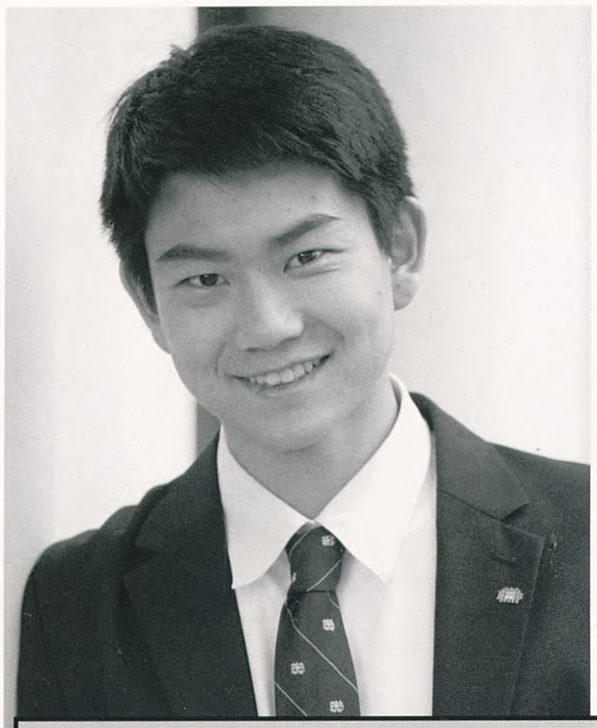


Singing all six years. Mid state and state
Football (7th-9th)
Wrestling (8th-9th)
Lacrosse (7th-8th)
Soccer (7th-12th) state champs

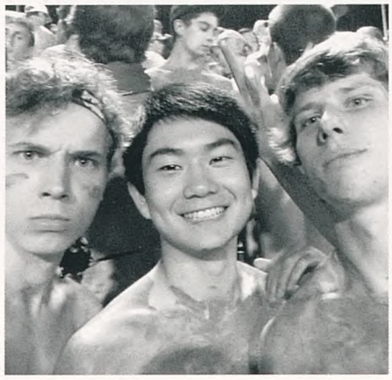
Sarcastically writes senior bio; Daniel at Bronsons farm;I love cpa; I bet on chuck; Hillbillies truck stop; Message from Harold Turks; Round 4; NASCAR ; "College trip" to Rhodes; Spiegl's rock pyramid; Riley the Australian; "Hi Tim"; Bruh button; The fish; "No I'm Sam"; DR trip; Bronson died again; Brandon being mad; Dry ice in Carly's pool; Salvador; hot tub; Intervention; Child lock on the stapler; Hugging Bronson's dad at graduation; Paucity of pepperoni; Spring junior year with Alex; FIFA; Quality advisory bonding time; Harpeth hall parking lot; The occasional visit to Knoxville

Thank you to my parents, who have supported me through everything I have done in my six years at MBA. Thank you to my friends who made me enjoy every moment before a test or a stressful night of homework. Teachers such as Mr. Kelly, Mr. Smyth, Mr. Gioia, Mr. Meredith, Mrs. Palmore for the paper clips and staples the day of themes and every other teacher that made this place unique and special. Finally thank you to MBA for giving me opportunities that no other school can, and for making these last few years some of the best of my life.

"Some people finish easily. Some people struggle to finish. At least we can say we all finished."



Troy Jiang



Rifle (10-12); Wrestling (11-12); Track and Field (10); Class Secretary (11); Service Club President (12); Astronomy Club (11-12); MBAsian Culture Club (10-12); Science Olympiad (11-12); IML (10-12); M3 Challenge (11); History Wilson Grant (11)

I came to MBA in my Freshman year as an exchange student for only 2 weeks, and that was where everything started...

In my sophomore year, everything was new and challenging. Mr. Klausner and Mr. Lanier, thank you for being awesome and hilarious and helping me finish my days (Happy Happy Joy Joy). Thanks to Mr. Norton for being patient to me in American History. Also, thanks to all the Allens, Mr. Allen, Mrs. Allen, Gaines, Clarke, Ty, and Elizabeth for helping me go through my first year here and giving me such a memorable sophomore year.

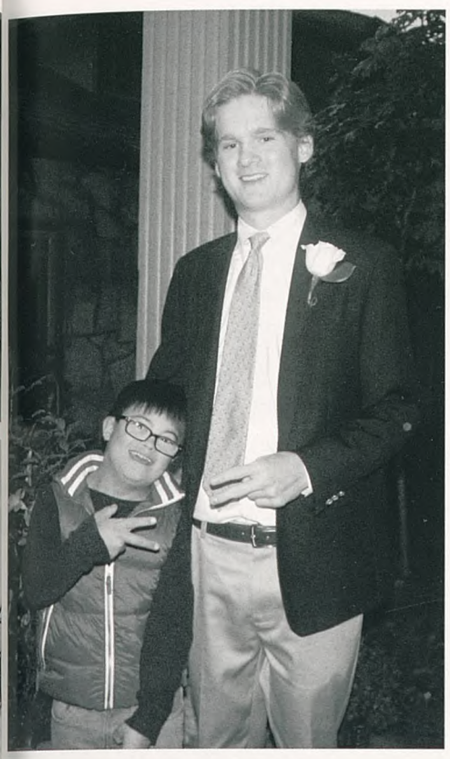
My Junior year was my life changing year. Ms. Williams and Dr. Dickens, thank you for teaching me physics and economics and also teaching me to be positive. Coach Simpson and Coach Shone, thank you for never giving up on me. Thanks to Mr. Compton (I believe in the Chain Rule), Mr. Chenery and Dr. Lech. The Garretts, thanks for making me laugh all the time. Mrs. Garrett, I will always remember the answers of the Three Questions and the Two Rules of the Garrett's House. Mr. Garrett, thank you for being my personal wrestling coach. Jimbo, LOL thank you!

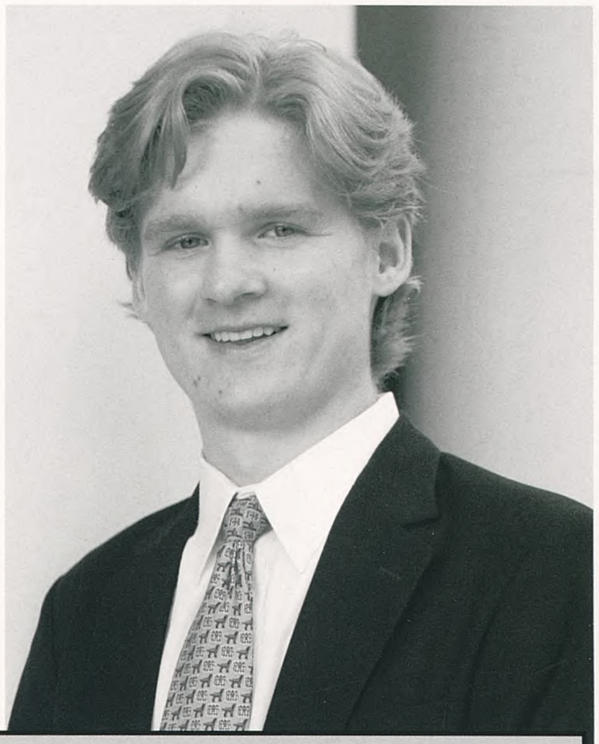
In my senior year, everything passed even faster. I appreciate what I have experienced and learned in the past three years. Coach Sharbel, Coach Yakushi, and Coach Gaither, 3 years of 9th period, thank you! Ms. Zhang, thank you for being my advisor for 3 years.

Mr. Gioia, thanks for your support all the time! The Scholers, I will miss "Sunday dinner", "the other one" and, "hit the bull's eye." Also, thank you for helping me finish my senior year. The Baileys, thanks for giving me such a great spring in my senior year.

It has been extraordinary three years. I appreciate everyone that I have met here. Thank you for giving me the best three years of high school I could ever ask for.

Roll Red!





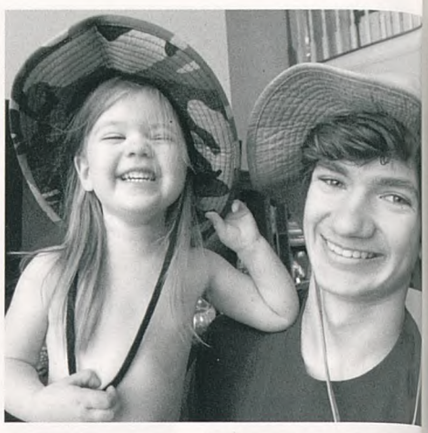
Will Johnson

Golf (7-12); Swimming (11); Crew (9); Track (9-10); Ultimate Frisbee (9); Junior Honor Society; Stock Market Club President (Electronic Communications)

COD Influenza; Neighborhood War at Ro's; Treemont; Chillcat; Camp Laney; "EXCELLENCE" Gillespie Advisory; Diggs and the mechanical pencil/my finger; Kendall Frantz; Late night zombies; LIFE Group; Drop the bass; Pysagorean Seorem; Continental Drift; "Two thumbs up, Bobby" - Daniel Smith; Matthew's first demerits; KP's houseboat/New Year's Eve; That one Fall Break; The Ski Trip; "Where's the bus??"; Haunted houses with Matthew; Rack City; "It's in your notes"; "Sir, your village just got raided"; "Suhh, dude?"; Robbins Household Merger; Matthew's Church; Elmington Park Summer Movies; The BA incident; Lost Boys; The Crew; Late Night ShackDonald's; 27; The Boy Who Lived; Destiny/Raids; Alex and I's car crash; Interstellar; Frank the Tank or Big Rick?; Phelps' Lake house; Scam; "Have you ever seen a man eat a whole burrito in one bite?"; Lol; Club Kilimanjaro; The Boy in the Tan Hat; Semi on Em; Vine Star; Chill; Chick-n-minis; "Say what you need to say" APES; "That'll be $44.95"; Procrastination; 679; Late night exam Skype grind; Bricksquad; LITERALLY; Matthew's shotgun closet; The Unforgettable Night/Chance the Rapper; The Fantastic Four; The Lech Effect; BLACK; Maryland; Right-chere; SB2K15 Crew (Target); 615 Beach Chant; Know Yourself anthem; Boy Wonder; "Unbelieeeevable, meet me at the range"; "Do you want any food??"; The Office; Minolenum; Senior Studio Art I; Real Sensational
We finally made it. Thanks to my boys for always being there; I definitely couldn't have done it without y'all. Thank you to all my teachers, especially Mrs. Roberts, Mr. Herring, Mr. Tillman, and Dr. Lech. The biggest thank you of all goes to my family. I owe you guys everything and you have shaped me into the person I am today. I can't wait to see what the future holds for MBA Class of 2016. The brotherhood will never be broken. RFR.

"Do not go gentle into that good night,
Old age should burn and rave at close of day;
Rage, rage against the dying of the light." -Dylan Thomas

Harrison Kaminsky



Huge History Club Supporter; Avid Crew team member from Freshman year to fall of Sophomore year; Track Team high jumper Sophomore and Junior year; never attended a single play

Swear jars; Rack City; Rapchat fire; Homecoming 2k14; "Just let me clean it up"; Melo; the legend of Chicken Biscuit Man and his alter ego of Mr. Incredible; "Soap and Vater"; Freshman rowing trips; "You're just mad because I made more friends"; Soupy cheese; bonfires; Round four; "She's actually really cool"; Flightsquad; Sherseys; Bronson's forearms; Carson has not and will not find happiness; Confidence; Bates O'neill singing Caldonia; Sarcasm; Davis being covered by whipped cream and becoming a terrorist; Vine fame; "Dude I hate her"; Jordan Wilson standing with Dr. Young by the fire; Dr. Batten's entire class; Air Kern touches the net; Harlem Shake vid; "Give me my keys"; Jack and Corrine's marriage; Life in Color; Fiiish; Wes' hair gel; Will's car being live; being hit by a crazy lady on the way to Winter Formal pictures sophomore year; Easy Mac; Everyone stealing my spicy nacho doritos; KP's video game and movie ideas; Pick up bball at the Y; Mt. Kilimanjaro; goofy Kern; Saturday pickup football; Mr. Lester's archeological digs; driving to Ashland City for absolutely no reason; Mr. Frazier; New Zealand exchange; calculus class; Mr. Mackelroy; "Find your beanpatch"; Clash of Clans; Yik Yak; JT83; Football team winning state in 2014 season; Jscow driving sketchy strangers; "Is the couch safe to sit on?"; Afroman; Commander Carr ripping me extremely hard; CAP; Thunderstruck; Failing the permit test; Junior Year snow days; NEW DINING HALL AND RESILIENCE; being soo facist; 2nd period study hall crew; New packet!!; "The chill spot"; Madden All-Pro Challenge; Bobby B and Neely; Soccer before Hutton's class; What are the odds

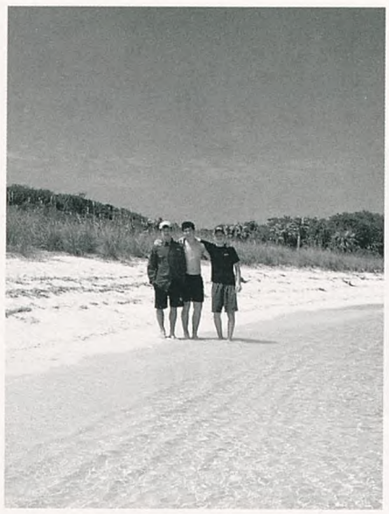
Thank you to the teachers, friends, and family that helped me throughout my time at MBA.

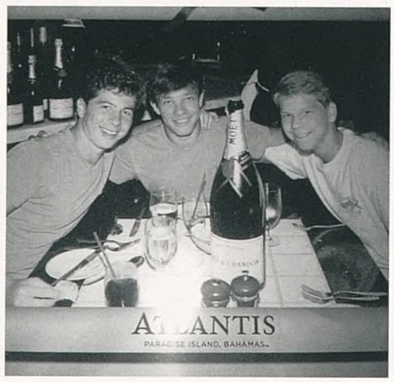
John Kelly

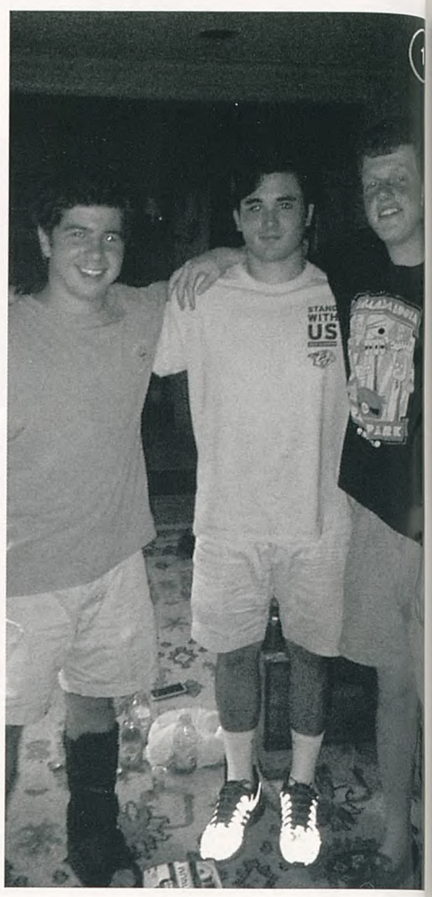
Never Again; Pummel!; lineman, combo, skill; JOE!; bellbuckle; I am the ball; Jesse SNIPER; 10.8; The Gummies; Throckdaddy thursdays; "But coach I took my 3 steps; "I thought I was sick once"; Esa; commodore bill; The BA game; Todd Prevost; Waffle House;State; fifths; eggs ketchup; troll toes; neanderthal; elf ears; Karl Marx; ogre; turtle; The lake; the civic;"HEY BEAR!"; australopithecus; Deggum; ZOO DAWG; Fake; what'reyoudoin; Reaally; ITS LEE; stuck in the mud; Who's is this; Marve; settle down; chemistry; the sap is rising; Kelly's Class; dinkleberg; "Injured"; I swear its a calculator; Tallahassee boys; Ray Charles; the beats pill; Guy fierri; 5325; Dota; 2:30 crew; Rusty's; this kid thinks he's going to sleep; lil jon; the pretzels; Troop Gang; little Ricky; just deal me in; yep that's what I thought; thunderstruck.

I'd first like to thank my mother and father for supporting me through all these years as well as my grandparents for help making my time at MBA possible. It has truly been an amazing experience and I couldn't have done it without my family and friends. I'd like to thank all my teachers and especially coach Shone, coach Barclay, and Mr. Kelly for being so influential in my life.

Jack King







7-9th Basketball, 7-12th football, 7th Baseball, 8-9th Lacrosse, 2014 State Football Champion, HVAC Lacrosse Champs, 9th grade city runner up in basketball.

7th grade D; leprechaun 6 back to the hood; Werner's lake; Cody; Tutti fruity; 6th grade bob; 9th grade peters, Chilton's/Chilton's closet; "Guy Fieri"; 8th grade MacDougal's; johns car; 9th grade graduation with Malone; Taylor's basement after fair; Downey's boat; Late night Walgreens; Sailor girl/ "your next"; Bamboo forest; maddies escape; With your friends, downey's card; Sophomore spring break; Downey's at chases; Poe's carriage house with pat and malone; weird workouts; Poe's bonfires; "St. patties day"; The currey farm; John "fried rice" Kelley; Lee; 10th grade winter-formal; Helms; Biggie CD; Pats cheese; "the scientist"; Pretty lights; the Audi; Freaky freshman; Owens RV; "Whose is this"; "the Auburn chair"; Malone's Tahoe; Bobs raps; Eddies; Fugs; Chick fi A with Poe; Calvary; Pae sauce; Cheetos in upper lip; Diggem's gummies; Omegle ; Monty's break down; Johns "fake" injury's; Bobs pilot; Bonnaroo with diggem; "Ramble on"; Scary golf, Burns farm; Downey's basement; Spiegel's class; The mall; Werner's fall; Turner's lake house soap; John removes Tattoo; week at diggems; Pats triangle Bill, lacrosse wall "ellen"; Sams basement, Owens barn house; high speed chase with pat; and high speed chase with werner and Malone; driving around hillwood/forrest hills; 4th period pack! Bob pays 20 bucks; Poe takes on chance the rapper; Publix in Bellevue encounter. Werners bmw; graffiti city; Conner Graig Clark; Hillwood sona; after school with trice and werner

Thank you so much to both of my parents for everything they have done for me at my time at MBA. Also thanks to my dad who fought to get me into this great school.

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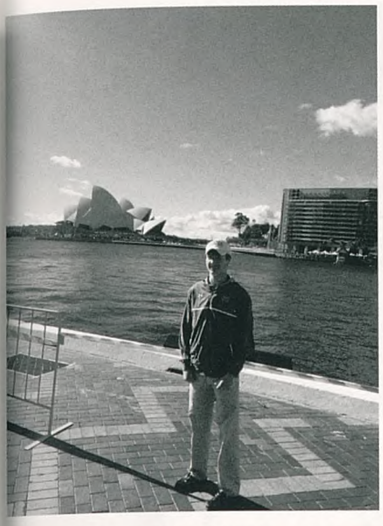
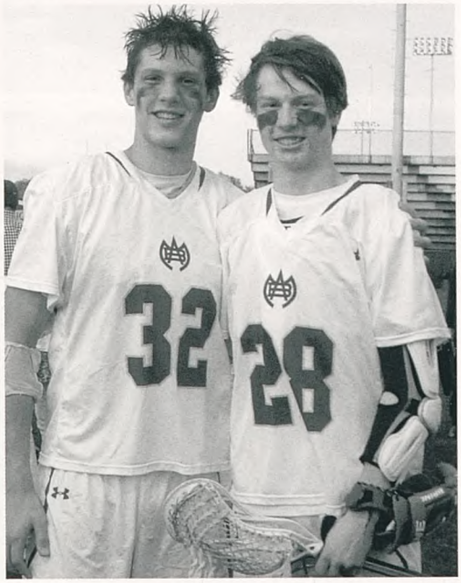
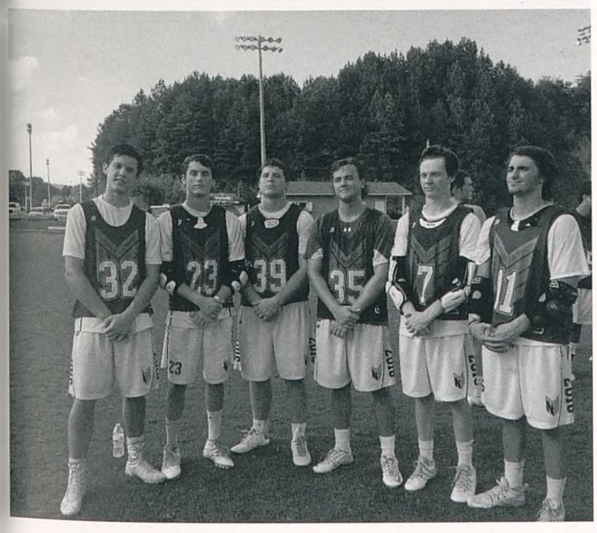




George Lazenby



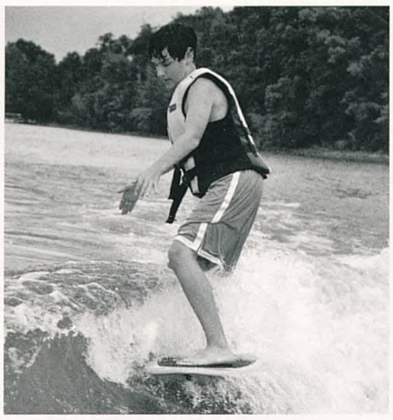
Lacrosse (9-12); Coaches Award (11); Wilson History Grant (11); Warner Exchange to Sydney (12); Mock Trial (11)

McGuginites; Gents; "My brother's in high school"; tears in chorus; taking two quizzes in grammar; singing fingers; Shh, my Neopets are sleeping; retakes; dudes; 12 gauge; Hagar; The Coax monster; "What's the problem!"; Gill; "I've got one thing to say"; PHD Flopper; "Manlius, unnecessary"; flow god; learning to use noodletools; "You rockin'?"; ascension; SB2012; "Ah, a heron"; Pysagorean Seorem; paucities; maize god; bus to Ashanti?; Layoneidas; Sick McPants Pants; Kap Slap; GNARW; Lazerfire; back it up D-rund; "Hey Bear"; The Matt Cave; fallen soldiers; Madison Avenue; the Progressive Era; taking out the AC; Han-Bot; D the Scoundrel; such a Berkeley Guy; history buff; Jackson's house; Phelps's truck; Tigertail Beach; a man with nothing to lose; Drewsius; Jet Pilot High; buying 80 gold chains; "What in the hell is a convo?" algebros; Petey the parrot"; patty melts; Ro's Grandma's; "Objective!"; spitting manna; banter; koprulu family; Helms Deep; Colonel Korn; ENEI; Pompey the ugly; the tan hat; McDangs; celebratory bonfires; 28; chips; Lance; Swedish Fish; Floyd vs. Mayweather; purple chicken patties; Jabby Juice; Barn; "Is that your DAD!"; Iron Bowl; Cheese; cruisers; LOTG; 4; 798; creon; Genghis Swan; "That'll be $44.95!"; There ain't a thing wrong with Admiral N; #exchange3015; showing aussies how to play their own sport; gammiethat; late night with Roy; GDI Haynes; bows and toes; Jordan Belfort; spilling soil; Iron Man; amplitude; two lunkers?; hay bale rides; senior board savagery; making the list*; just a boulevard guy;

I would like to thank everyone who has supported me throughout my MBA years. I thank my Mom, Dad and sister for being there for the ride. I would also like to thank Mr. Hutton, Dr. Boyd, Mrs. Ellery and Mr. Kelly for pushing me academically. I also appreciate the coaching Coach Garvey and Coach Smith provided me in lacrosse. I've made lifelong friends and cannot imagine having an experience like this anywhere else.

"Is non male cadet, qui casa validior surgit." -Seneca

Grayson Lester



Rock climbing; rowing; strength and conditioning; FCA; New Zealand Exchange

Pretty Lights; Live on the Green; Student Section; London; Ensworth Rave; High Jump; Lake Weekends; Snow Days; Love Circle; Life in Color; Spring Break; Bonaroo; Hunting; Fabric; Home coming and prom; DSC for life

Ethan Long

Rowing (9-12)- Captain(12); Robotics (9-11); Service Club (11-12); Geometry Award (9); Summer Studies Grant (10); Wilson Science Grant (11); National Merit Commended (12)

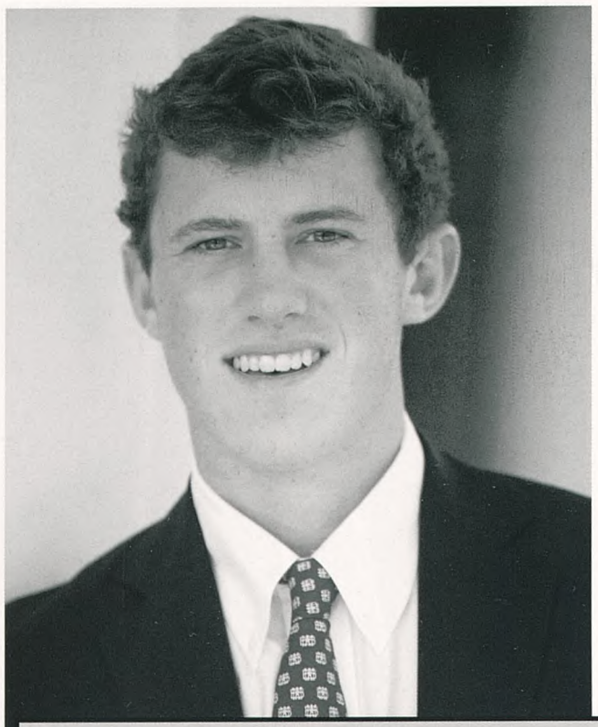
The Novi; prison bus, nights before regattas; super smash brothers battles; swim test; "Have you seen the new dining hall?"; the death of The Noodle; Tejas goose; Stroud; This is MY team; It's coach's birthday; Mrs. Qian's class; meeting Roosevelt; that APUSH life; winter drivers-ed; We're upperclassmen!; The Hooch yik-yak; Best Thursday ever; Coat and Tie; The Resilience; Welcome to Florida; Pledge #4; IAN!!; Gassage; Team Camp; I am the Captain now; Where's Perry?; YOU'RE GOOD!

I'd like to thank everyone who I've had the opportunity to interact with during my time on the Hill. I don't have the space to list them all, but a special thanks goes to Herr Dougherty, Mrs. Yu; Dr. Bailey; Dr. Seay; Mr. Lanier; Coach Barclay; and Coach Shone. All of my teachers have helped me grow to become who I am today, and I want to thank you all for the hard work and effort you put into teaching me. Thanks to SAGE for providing four years of awesome meals, and all the maintenance guys for what they do. Keep up the good work. Thanks to Mr. Dorse for the A+ bus driving. I'd also like to thank Coach Lamb and Coach Calico. They both have had a huge impact on my development as an athlete and young man, and I am very appreciative of their hard work.

Thanks Mom and Dad. Y'all have worked so hard to make me what I am today, and I appreciate that more than you can ever know. I love you guys.

"Do not pray for easy lives. Pray to be stronger men."
-JFK

To Jackson and all the younger classes: Keep going, you'll make it, and you'll appreciate it when you're done. It's worth all the hard work.
Hail Hail Montgomery Bell, and Roll Red until I die...



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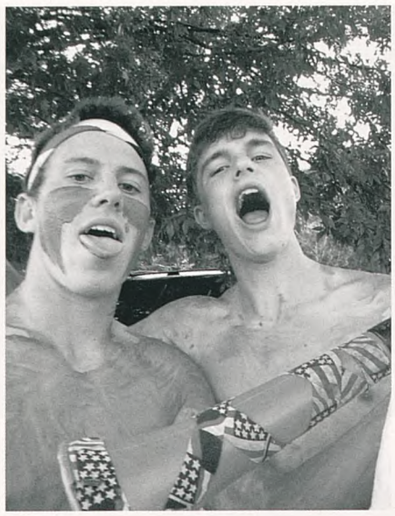
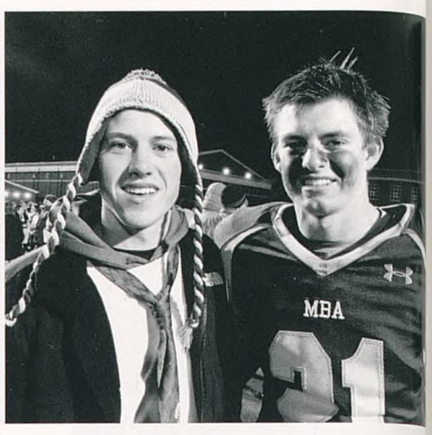
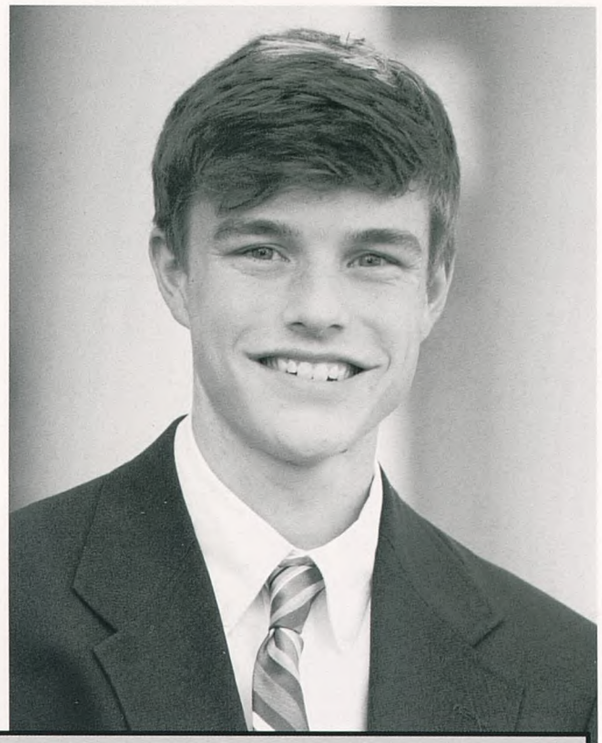
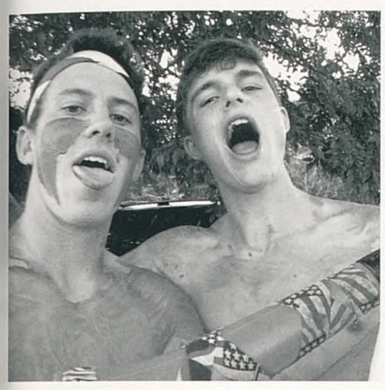


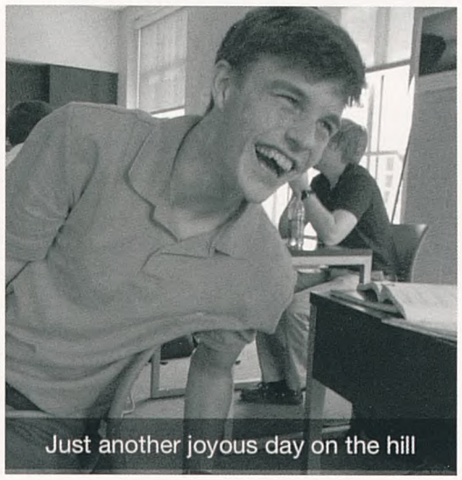


Cross Country (9-12); Baseball (9-12); Broadcasting Club (9-12); FCA (9-12); Student Section Member (9-12)

7th Grade: April Fools In Brock's class; "What is excellence"; Mrs. Roberts' buttons...; Preds' first series win
8th Grade: David's house with Brandon and Jesse...; "Skip down the hall singing your favorite Disney tune, Rundberg."; Mr. Berry's class with David; Philippians 4:6-7; Demerits from Mrs. Qian
9th Grade: Building the dam in Coach Moran's class; Brandon during Jazz Band (9-12 really); DJ Mott- "Soy de Brent-hood."; Joining Blue Group
10th Grade: When upperclassmen ask what it's like living with Davis...; The Modern Age; "The Big Red Army loves it, and I love it too!"; PA announcing; Davis' Restaurant; Skiing with Cole; Sail Caribbean; Preds games with Ethan
11th Grade: Rooming with Nathan and TJ in Memphis; Learning about Coach Kimball; Mr. Kelly- weekend plans, "Ya sack," "40 is the new 90."; Lanier- silent day, "Troops"; "Packet day"; Stealing JB's truck with Robert; Costa Rica; Football on Saturdays; Broadcasting soccer with DGaw; "How 'bout the Big Red!"
12th Grade: Jingle Bells @JB; Burgers- Mr. Gioia; Cross Country Camp; Going over to Harpeth Hall; Pruitt- retrovirus, woof woof; Woof for another reason, JB; Impact Weekend; Long runs with JB; Stealing JB's backpack; Dealing with the Sophomores at FCA; Tony and Franklin; College visit to see the Preds; High 5 in Compton's class; Clap wars in Compton's class; Going to Memphis to watch Team 117 with mom; Singing in Rock Band
I would like to thank all of my teachers. I am such a stubborn learner, so it's amazing how much they were able to get inside my head. Thanks to the Cross Country Team. It was an honor to lead such a group of guys. Thanks to Coaches Russ and Kamm for their amazing support. Thanks to the baseball team. There's no better sport out there. Thanks to Dad for countless hours spent throwing and hitting with me. Thanks to Mom, Dad, and Davis for the immeasurable support and love. Roll Red
Isaiah 40: 30-31
Philippians 4:13







Just another joyous day on the hill

J.B. Lund

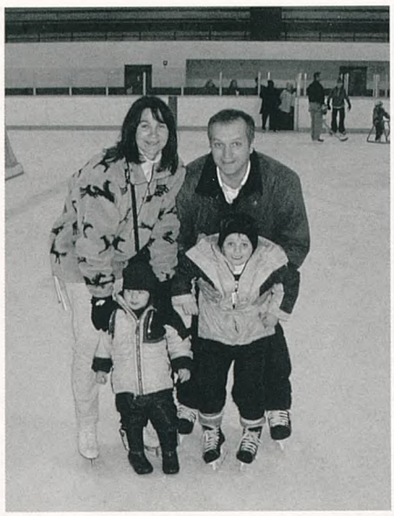
Cross country (9-12) Second year letter winner; Ultimate Frisbee (10-12); Track (9-11) Second year letter winner; Robotics (9-12) Elected president junior year.

"Did you even preview the text"; "Why do we have four Chinese text books"; "Why are we even having this quiz"; scored the net 5 on Physics AP exam; packet day; "I see ya workin it J.B."; losing Charles in China on exchange trip; Exchange in Perth, Australia; "Let's get some kennige up in this piece"; "Ultimate's a sport"; "Hold my disc"; "Don't warp the disc"; earn the disc; Chilly!; getting my ankles broken by Joe Moxely; FC Hype; Life advice from Dr. Dickens, Mr. Kelly, and Mr. Rundberg; 8011; Coach Pruit's list of things to blame my generation for; MMLA Chinese immersion; Dr. Batten's Monday routine; 40 is the new 90; The Modern Age; Mr. Davidson's puzzles, Coach Kamm killing a bat; Seniors win; Starting "Jingle Bells" in the student section; seeing 10 Gray Line busses lined up for the state football championship; 17.38 5k XC PR; LSD run day; Tempo at Centennial; Blue group for life; Tour de Pants; pace checks in Track; using a potato cannon to ask my homecoming date; Homecoming time; Smash Bros in Mr. Berry's advisory; Selfie with Oswald t. Avery's (Cobblepot) grave for extra credit; touch of gray; Rock Band playing "Fight for your Right."

My time at MBA has done things for me that I would have never thought possible at the start of my seventh grade year on The Hill. From traveling the world to leading the Robotics club, my time at MBA has developed memories that will last a lifetime. I would like to thank all of my teachers for helping me and developing me into who I am today. I would also like to extend a special thank you to Dr. Dickens and Mr. Kelly for not only teaching such amazing classes but also writing my letters of recommendation. Roll Red Roll.

"It's a good day to run. Ultimate is fun." –Coach Russ

Cameron MacDonald Surman



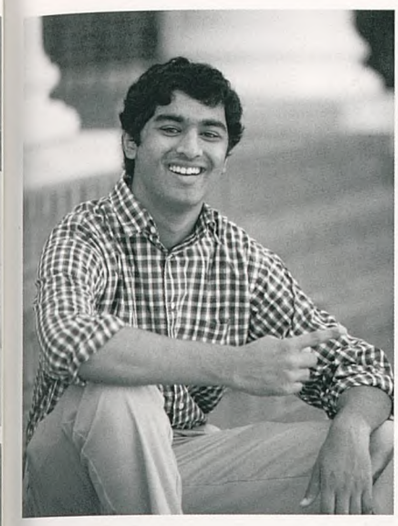
Adventures 'n Jokes:
Broad Trip; Stingpong; Get out of my personal space; Penultimate step; Being a Canadian; Everyone hating me freshman year; Nights on the elementary school; Adventures of Cam and Jack; "What do I do with my hands"; Krell phone; "Make someone else look really really good"; FC Hype; Haynes > all; Cavalier; "Those aren't real numbers!"; Flight team; Spook day; Everyone leaving the lunch table because of something I said; Scary movies; "Bonjour mon ami"; Risk; Beating Donovan at racquetball; Thnks fr th mmrs; B.O.B and Linkin Park; All Stuff Considered; Cops and robbers; Jackson's house (RIP); Nicknames :Shacklebutt, Jamis, Dono, Greyson, Jack, Dev, Giblet; Car rides; Spring Break 2k16; All of our senior year;

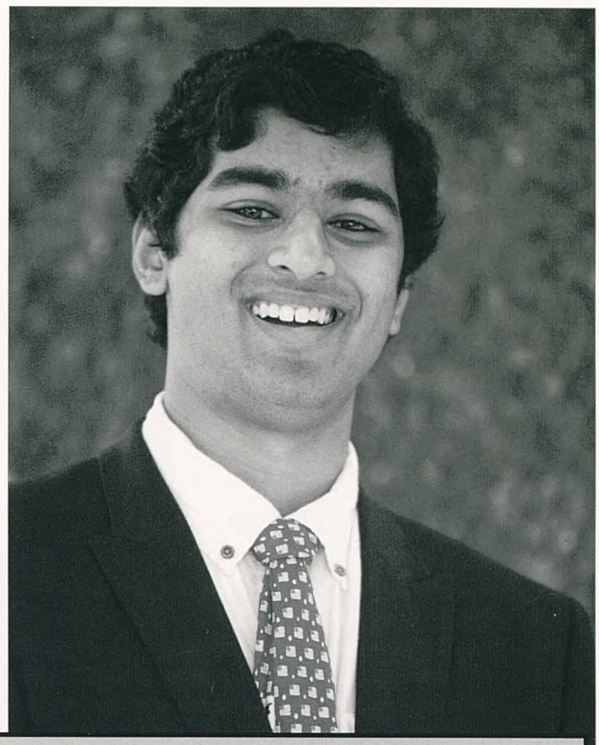
I need to thank some people who have made my time at MBA as great as it was.

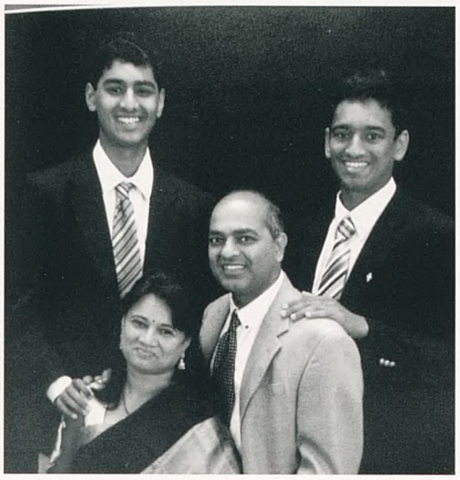
I'd like to thank Mom, Dad, and Brandon for always supporting me. Mom, Dad, you pushed me to achieve the things you knew I could, and without you I couldn't be where I am today. I try to make you guys proud, hopefully I've succeeded in doing that. Brandon, you are a good kid and it's crazy to see you where I was just 4 years ago. Thanks for being a exciting little brother.

I'd like to thank all my teachers from The Hill, you have all made a lasting impact on me and served as great role models. I am always trying to better myself as a person, and I have learned something from each one of you, whether it be in textbooks or in life.

I'd also like to thank my friends, classmates, and brothers. You have all made this 4 year journey an incredible one. Freshman year I came to MBA without knowing a soul, and now I can mostly name the guys in my grade. To my tight group of guys, I'm glad I met you kiddos. I've had some of the best times of my life with you men, and I wouldn't trade these past years at MBA for anything. This won't be the end, the Summer Boys will never die.







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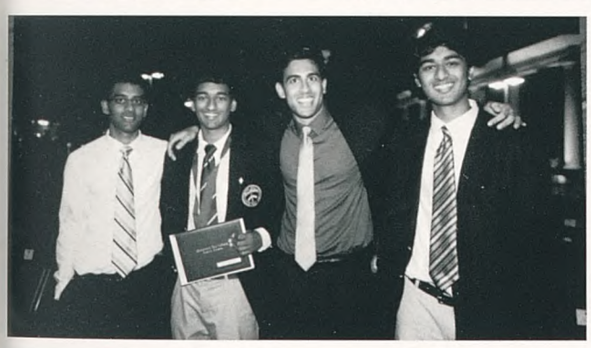
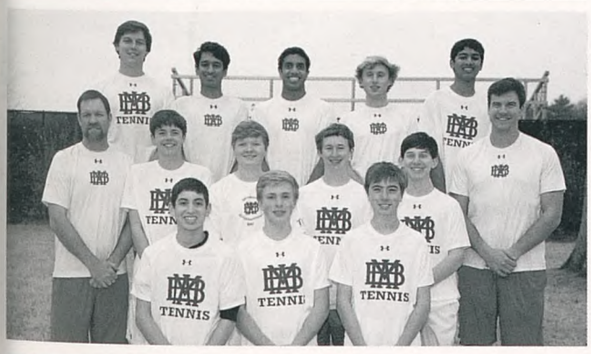
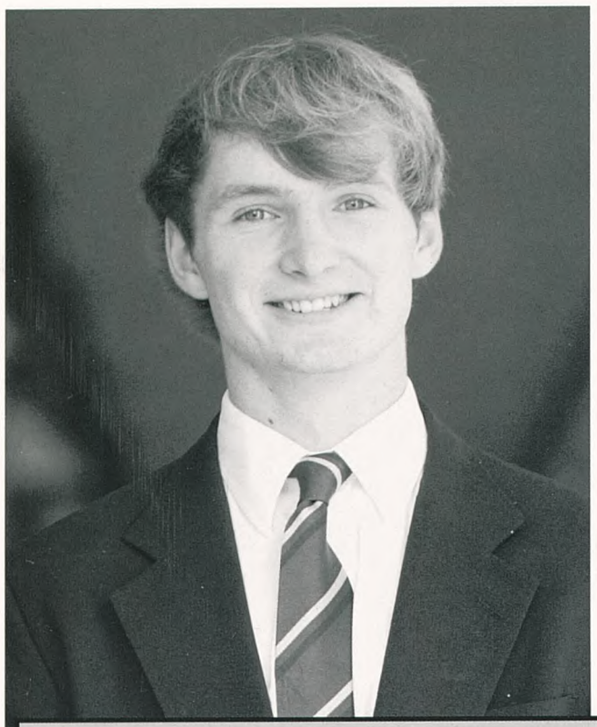




Tennis (10-12); Science Olympiad (10-12); Junior Classical League (10-12); Envirothon (11-12); Model UN (12); Ambassador Society (11-12);
7th Grade: "Don't worry about it"; Mr. Anderson's class+Coach Wims advisory+ Mr. Barclay's class = an awesome 7th grade; Chilling with Hunt in computer class
8th Grade: The best Latin class with Dr. Seay; Mr. Brown's awesome advisory
Freshman: Gas leak year?; Founding member of Mr. Lundgren's advisory with Donosohr, John, and Alex; Aphorisms in Mr. Gaither's class; Alvin's postprandial naps Sophomore: "Take out the sulfur"; Maharishi; Silent classes with Mr. Lanier; state champs in Sci Oly and JCL; Quo usque tandem abutabutabutabutuere
Junior: Literally every day in Kelly's class; brain trust with Tony, Andy, Alvin, and Yavin; "Look, there's two of them"; "Confounded though immortal"; "obdurate pride and steadfast hate"; RIP my Physics C grade; "It's Pheesics man!"; TEAMS Facilitator; Cosine Mike's soporific class; Here's a great idea- Let's have sleep deprived high schoolers workout at 5 am; "Discount Tarun"; In the immortal words of Yavin Alwis, "Rishi, you have a carte blanche on my body." Senior: Where's Barry Lewis?; Doc Marro's advisory with Donovan and Alvin (and Brinton); CAMP Camp.org not .com; Can I please senior slide now? Andy, te amo mucho; that chem class curve with Doc Marro; mind meld with Yavin; Cole is the token white guy; "I left my athletic clothes at home"-everyday 7th period

To Mr. Anderson, Mr. Wims, Mr. Barclay, Dr. Seay, Mr. Brown, Mr. Reynolds, Dr. Tarkington, Ms. Ellery, Mr. Norton, Dr. Marro, Dr. Carro, Mr. Klausner, Mr. Lundgren, Mr. Davidson, Mr. Gioia, Ms. Raines, Mr. Golenor, Mr. Hamrick, Mr. Clark and most of all Mr. Kelly, you've all helped and guided me throughout my MBA career and I have all of you to thank for where I am today.
To my family, thanks for always supporting me.
To Tarun, thanks for not only being the older brother I deserved but also the one I needed.

"Have read little and understood less"
James Joyce (Portrait of an Artist as a Young Man)



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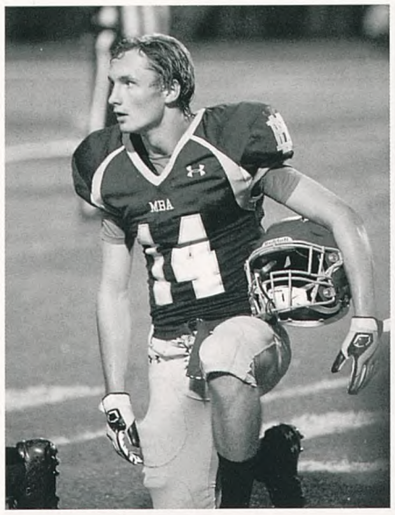


Football (11-12); Basketball (7-11); Student Council (11-12); Disc Golf Club (11-12); Partner Dancing Club (12); Stock Market Game (11-12); Climbing (12); Cum Laude (11-12)

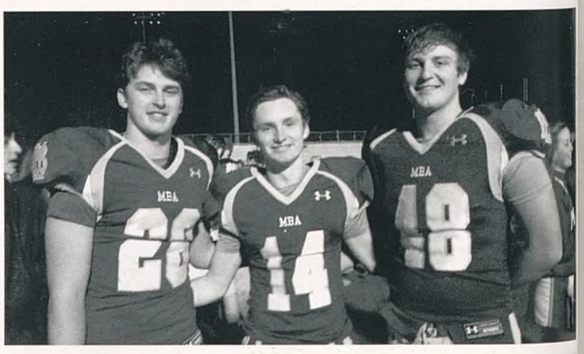
9th- Mr. Gaither's Aphorisms, Dr. Batten's class and quizzes, Odysseus, "next level", Hallway before biology, coyotes, freshman quarterback, jayhawks, JPII speech, first homecoming, SB with John, Litchfield on ski trip

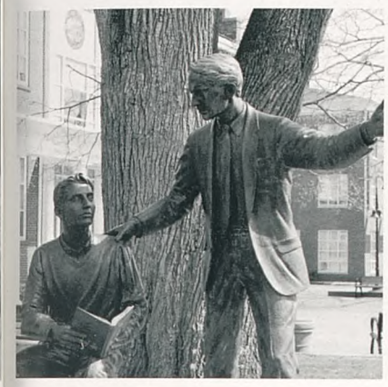
10th- Mr. Norton's class with Clarke, Stats with Conner, Chem and SSG2, "I am a potato", William Hall "Chain!", Team 115, OT win vs BA, Clarke's layups, Invasion vs Team Nashville, AFTFK dodgeball

11th- Mr. Kelly's class, "Did you read", Coach Barclay "Whaaat???", Coach Lanier, "Trash Can", Football with Coach Red, Coach Euverard's quotes, State champs, rancher Weikert, Mario Kart at Carson's, finishing squad

12th- Donuts and montaditos in Spain, Summer Workouts, Bell Buckle, Invigorate Clarke, Roasts in English, Disc golf club with Chase, Carter,and Will, Monday nights at Scott's with Parker and D-Gaw

I would like to thank my family, friends, and all of the MBA teachers and coaches. All of you have had a huge impact on my life, and I'm very grateful for all the teachers that were mentors to me and have taught me numerous lessons not only about knowledge, but about life. Thanks to Sr. Paolicchi and Sr. Kamm for showing me my passion for Spanish. Thanks to Coach Sanders, Coach Red, and my other coaches for caring about me not just as a football player, but as a person. Thanks to my family for providing me with incredible opportunities throughout my life and supporting me throughout my life. Finally, thanks to all of my friends for making my experience at MBA unforgettable. Without these people, I would not be who I am today and I would not treasure my time at MBA as much as I do and will for the rest of my life.





Michael Mappes

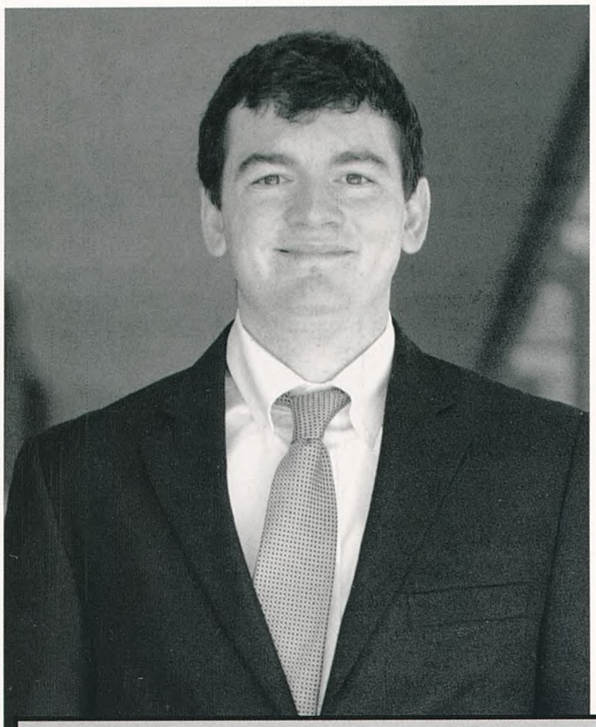
I had many fun years here, and I hope future generation will enjoy mba's opportunities to the fullest. Because of this place, I got to experience Rome, have many interesting teachers, blah blah blah. Extracurricularly, in the first year of high school I did debate, but my attempts at this sport were worse than unsuccessful, these 6 years have been great with so many first class men, and I hope they get to fulfill their dreams.

I personally want to thank Mrs. Ellery for a great 3 years of Latin (and a Wilson Grant- Seriously guys, Rome is a great place, so take Latin!), Dr. Boyd for Montesquieu, and Lanier for his Lanierness. I truly do hope that Barclay has many "new packet days" left to celebrate. I want to thank Mr. Klausner for getting into a college, especially because my essays would be garbage without him. I wish the Quin/Klausner advisory many Friday Feasts. Thank you, Mrs. Klausner, for being the best adviser. Thank you Sage for the many dishes of pasta and chicken.

Shout-out to Matt S. for his inspiring advancements in ... I forget. Wait, wasn't he a writer? No, that wasn't it, maybe a scientist? Nah, well in either case, I would like to thank him for all his hard work editing? A bit of a stretch, but yeah, that'll do. (I hope those that will understand the joke will read this).

Finally, I want to extend my biggest thanks to my parents for their love and support through these hard and unforgiving years at MBA. I love you both so much.

For nostalgia's sake for future me, I am writing this paper at 10:56 PM, about an hour before this bio is due, and afterwards, I have to finish the Latin project (Yay!), and I don't even have a good Article!



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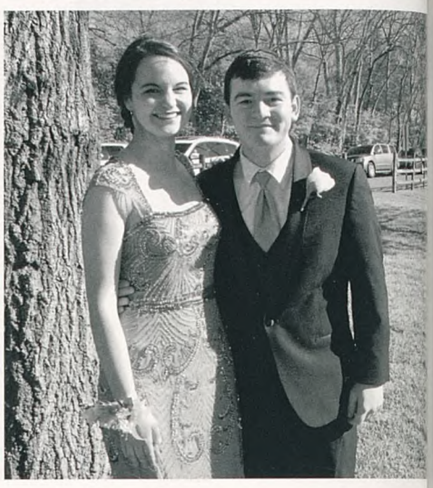
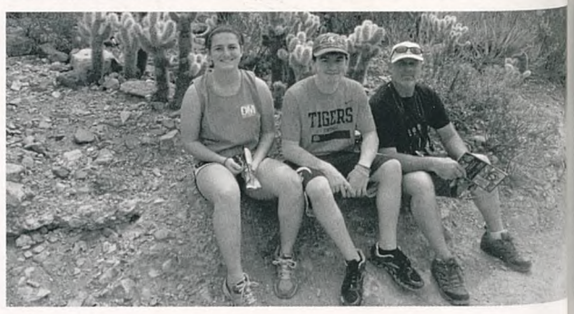
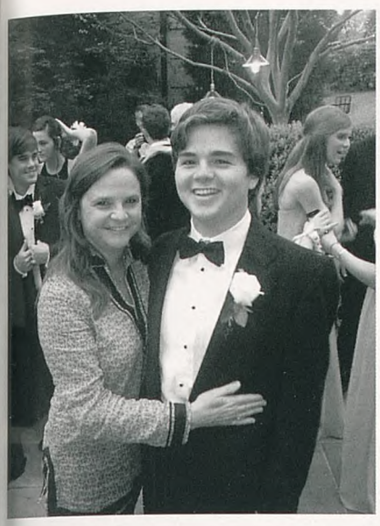


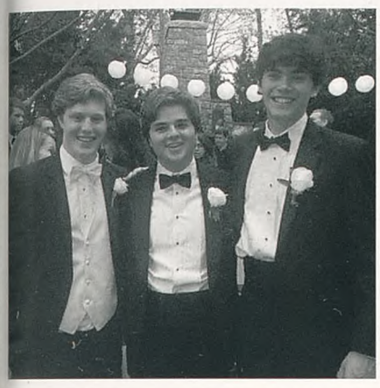
Rifle (9th and 10th); Great Expectations (9th); Henry V (10th); The Great Gatsby (10th); Black Comedy (10th); In A World of Insanity (10th); The Servant of Two Masters (11th); The Fifth Sun (11th); Smash (11th); For Whom the Southern Belle Tolls (11th); Two Worlds (11th); Improv Club (11th); Emma (12th); As I Lay Dying (12th); The Arsonists (12th); Improv Club (12th); President of International Thespian Society (12th)

Roll Red; The Lord of the Flies; Worm Jesus; Frog on the biology textbook; Boat races; NPOTS; "Dev"; Spaghetti kochen; "Ya dude?"; "You won't"; French accents; Gas pump; "Actually touch his face"; Homicidal monkey; Winston Churchill; Yavilluminati; "The Lord giveth"; "Now is the time"; "Woe unto us"; Maximus the Thirdicus; "Michelle! You're alright!"; Best high five in recorded history; "You guys are NOT funny"; MBA at 3am

Thank you mom and dad for sending me to MBA. I wasn't sure I wanted to come here but I'm glad y'all made that decision for me. Special thanks to Mrs. Roberts and Herr Dougherty for being amazing teachers, being supportive, and generally just being awesome people. Thank you Mr. Morrison, Dr. Fuller, Dr. Seay and Ms. Klocko for helping me stay active in theater through all four years of high school. It's been a great ride and I won't forget everything I've experienced on The Hill.







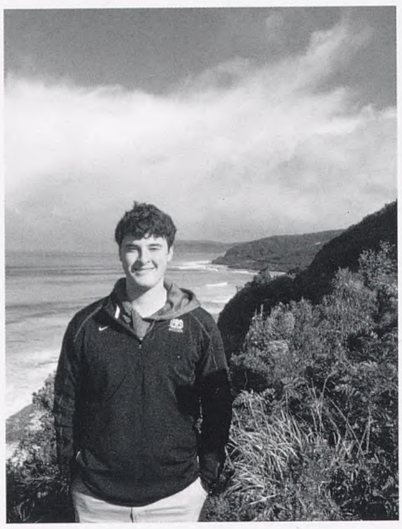
Russell McGinn

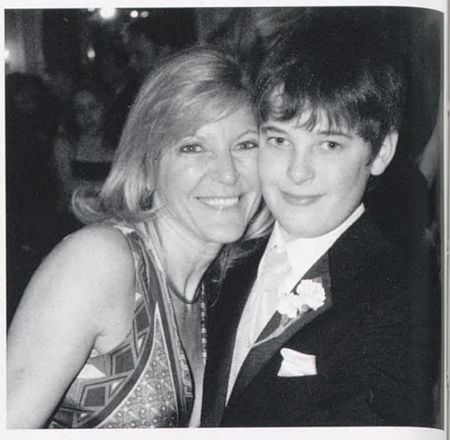
Golf (7-8); Soccer(7-8); Hockey(9-12); Shotgun(11-12); Model UN (9-11); Treasurer (10)

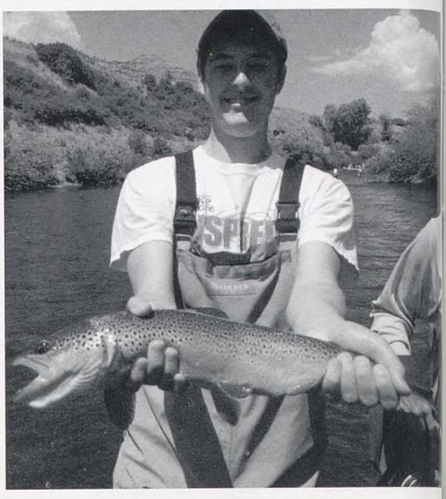
Spending every weekend at Treemont; That's a chop Litch; Late night zombies; Coach martin taking out Diggs; T-ash Bartmistva; PGA golf tour; NOLA; Werner's lake house - 7th grade; Dbish; Nuggeting; Falling off stadium; Calvary; El Palenque; Trying to learn Spanish; Buffalo River Youth Duck Hunt; Lee is coming; Seaside; The Farm; Polaris flip; Patton estate; the ramps; Max and the carpet stains; Crawford vs. Owen; Model UN parties; Dixie; "Getting Shwitty"; Dave's house; Late night McDanks; Ben's truck vs. fire hydrant; Rock Island adventures; Punch hunch; Beasley's Jimmy buffett; Carl; Bowling ball ofdestruction; St. Patty's day London; XOYO dude; Fabric; Calzones; Dave's speakers; CMA's; Losing; Thottub; "We killed that"; "Dude, they know"; Cancun; 4th of July at farm; New Years Rock Island; The wise's couch; The dog pound; Rack city; "Get outta your mind"; Junior year BA game; Thursday nights at T-ash's; Boat rides with Malone; Love Sosa; Late night farm parties; Papa Deutsch; Ice Pups for life; 2:30 crew; "Ben it's ok, you got iced"; 5325; Saturday night hockey; Analise's pool house; Publix 30 minute elevator rides; Whitty projectile; Cone heads; Blake at the Levee; Somehow getting home from Oxford; Ronstiglioni; Smitty's basement; Ben vs. homecoming night; Surviving Life in Color with Dave; Governor's one shot; Late night Adelman patty melts; Ed; Thunderstruck; Yatco; T-shirt stains; staying with 0.516; Peter's mom's basement; Whitty's walk from Haverford; Sleeping in the shower kinda night; Being sick after every college visit; Natty patties; Chicken biscuit guy; 2nd period study hall; Cow paddies on snow day; Foam pit night; Dega baby; Downeys; Wolf mode; Daveeee; Making the trek; John

I would like to give a special thanks to my parents for giving me the incredible opportunity to attend MBA. I am also grateful for all of the teachers and coaches that helped me make it through MBA, especially Coach Deutsch, Coach Lanier, Ms. Hollifield, and Mr. Herring. I won't forget all the memories and friendships I made.
Roll Red.

Chase Meluch





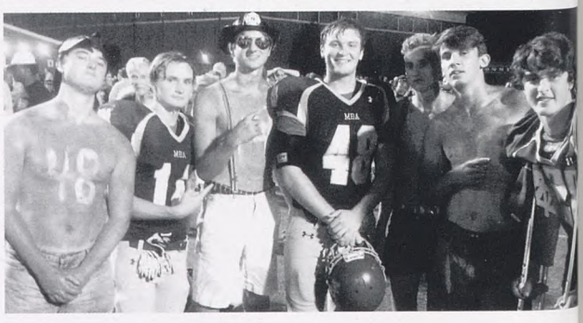


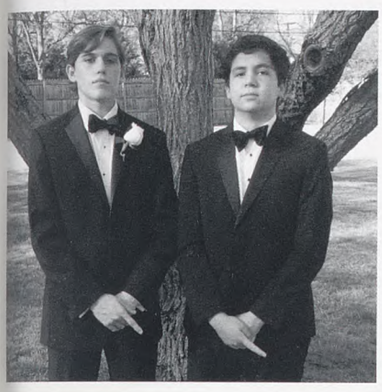
Varsity Soccer; Best Buddies; Health and Nutrition Club; Disk Golf Club; Dance Partner Club; Race for the Cure; Endada; Melbourne Grammar Echange; Yearbook Staff; 7th grade theatre award

Going Bananas at Camp Laney; Beating CPA in HVAC soccer Finals (7th and 8th grade); 8th grade Atlanta trip; broken arm; Dominican Republic; playing a Varsity game with my brother; Atlanta Soccer trips; Atlanta Crickets; Fight Night; Homecomings; Prom; Locker Room chants with Brandon Bennett; Gray Adelman's Car; Side of Graham's car; Melbourne Australia with Davis Voecks and Bronson Ingram; Rosemary; My Basement; Rockband with the boys; 2014 Graduation Night; 8th grade schools out party; Saturday Morning runs; Student Section; Soccer 2015 State Champs; Fall soccer workouts; Tulane Trip with Conner Gray; GTA V with Carson Talbott; Adam Young's and Clarke Allen's voices; Gray Adelman's "I Feel Good"; AP "Chemistry" with Sam Smith, Conner Gray, and Werner Bradshaw; Summer Soccer League; Bro Night; Coach Lundren throwing his hat; 7th grade advisor; "It's not Rocket Science"; Locker Room Nametag; Losing disks; IHOP Saturdays; Latin IV; Pretty Lights; Game of Throwns; Dr. Boyd's references; "did you just learn about air quotes"; Witch trials; Sleeping in Art History; Boom Beach; Matt Hopp's houseboat; Dr. Batten's monday tests; "Summer Reading"; Mr. Lester's lectures; "Attendant, Attendant, there is a paucity of pepperoni on my pizza"; Mr. Berry's Latin Class; Dr. Kinch letting me read; Dr. Kinch's facebook photo; Eugenie Bouchard; Dr. Lech's suits; Colonel Sharbel when we get let out late; "Woah, there's pizza for lunch today!"; Montgomery Owen and Brett Starr; Project O; Gangnam Style; Dancing in the park; the play Emma; Harriet's voice; Sledding Suicide hill; "Everytim We Touch"; Marvel Movies with Chapman Malone; "Really??"; "Sorr"; 7th and 8th grade mixers; Kings Island Trip; Commander Carr and the French; Andrew Porter's singing and William Porter's speeches.

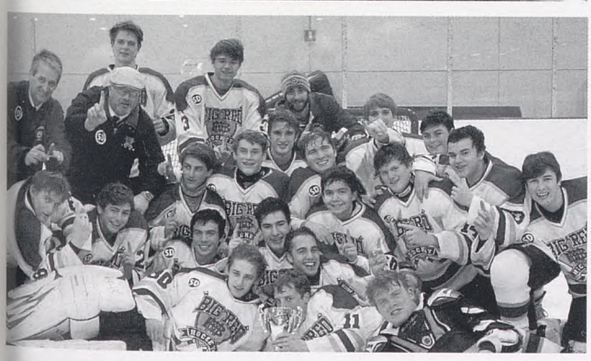
Thanks to my mom, dad, and brother for helping make my high school experience great.Thanks to Parker Bryan, Chapman Malone, Carson Talbott, Will Emerson, Conner Gray, Clarke Allen, Adam Young, Gray Adelman and everyone else for making High school memorable.

Thanks to the teachers for teaching me valuable life lessons.





Ethan Mowery



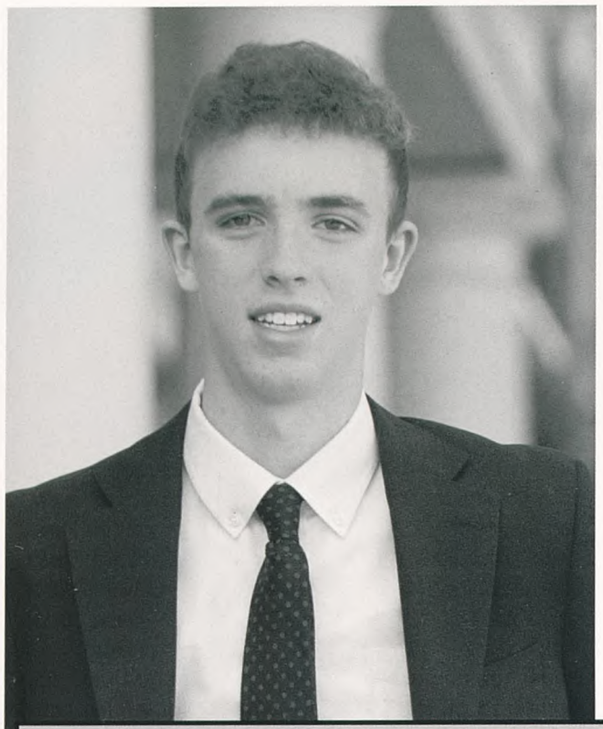
Varsity Hockey (9-12); Varsity Hockey Captain (12); Jazz Band (9-11); Track & Field (10); Model UN (10-11); Stock Market Club (12)

Emow; The cow's have to get milked; Red Striped Ties; Saturday football; disc golf; "The puck hit the ref in the coconut"; Monday practice; Tuesday night JV practice; Blue Division champs; 3x Most Improved Player; go D to D; warrior drill; 2nd period study hall freshman year; Rites of Spring; Preds games; Titans games with Mark; Volkswagen Jetta; what are the odds?; 6th period corn hole; las redes sociales; "I tried to sneak out"; homecoming draft; Ingram's farm; 1st period Latin; Robert Fagles; Jet's Pizza parties in geometry; Cookout; Waffle House; "Bringin' the heat"; Uganda; Nathan; road to being a man dime; Eskew's Kinder friends; fight night; Madden with Chuck; beating Ravenwood in OT; State at Bridgestone Arena; vest and short sleeves; painting up; jorts and suspenders; rain game against BA; football team winning state; that time I did track; Parmer Park basketball; pre-game rap battles

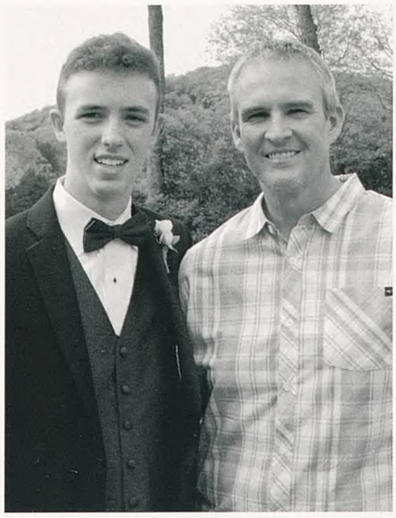
Thank you Mom and Dad for giving me the opportunity to attend MBA for the past six years. Thank you Hayley and Chris for giving me all the advice I needed along the way. Thank you to all my teachers and coaches who have encouraged and supported me during my time on The Hill. Special thanks to Coach Deutsch for being a mentor to me on and off the ice. Finally, thank you to my friends for all the great memories.

"You miss 100% of the shots you don't take" - Wayne Gretzky

Jeremiah 29:11



Wilson Norris



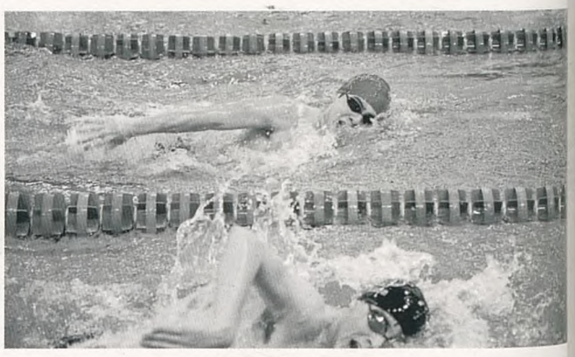
Varsity Swimming (10, 11, 12) and Senior Captain

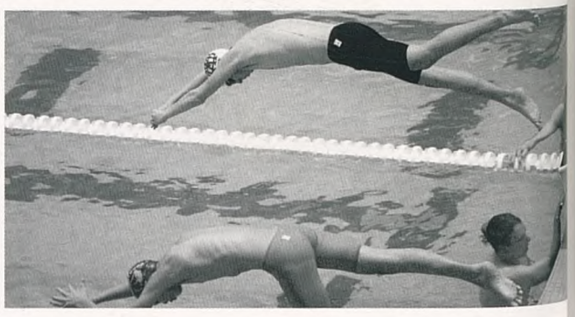
"Chill Dude"; Sketchplex; "What's for dinner?"; 5 am practices; Pledge of Allegiance with Mr. Bernatavitz; Aphorism Monday; "Do you have practice today?"; Rachel Stone; Mrs. Yu's Geometry Class; Weeson; Panini Maker; "Either or"; Coach Loveless' pre-500 speeches; "Or Nah"; Felix; "Lil Fishy"; smelling like Chlorine; Triathlons; "Are you being sarcastic?"; "I'm tired of being wet."; Wearing a speedo more than regular clothes; Late nights and early mornings; THE B.H.D.; "How's it going Big Guy?"; Panera

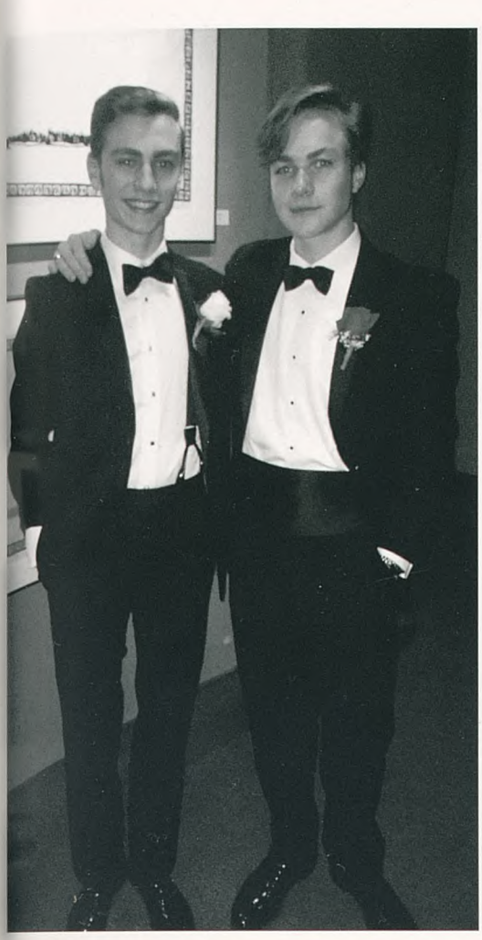
I would like to thank my mother and father for allowing me to come to such an amazing school. Without their love and support, I would not be the person I am today. Thank you both so much for shaping me into the person I am today. I would also like to thank my advisor, Sr. Paolicchi, for introducing me to MBA on my first day sophomore year. You were a mentor to me all three years, and I appreciate everything you helped me with.

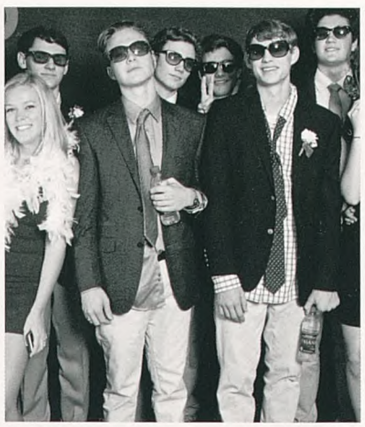
"Clear Eyes, Full Hearts, Can't Lose." - Coach Taylor

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4:13

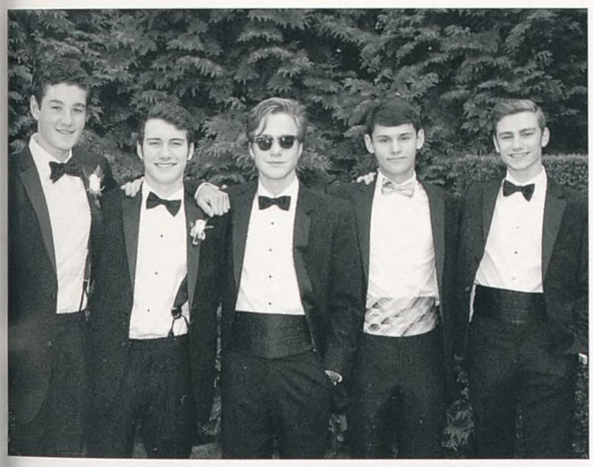








Connor Oman

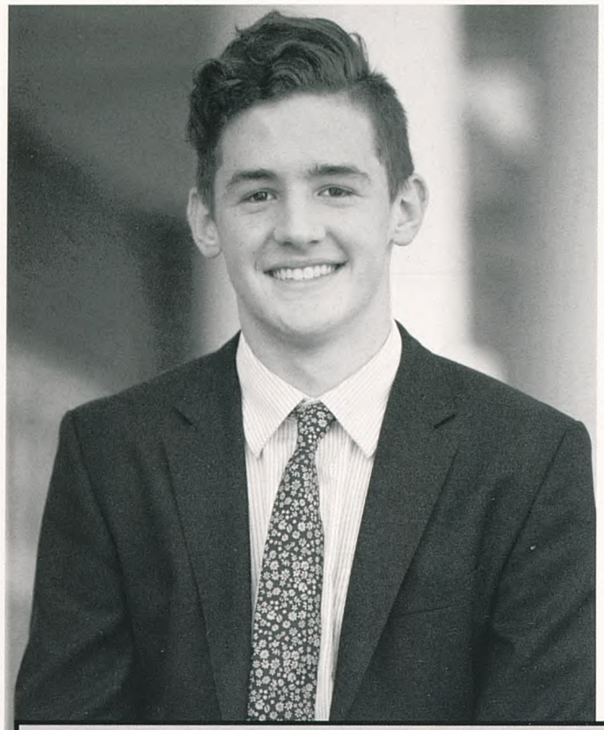


Varsity Hockey (9-11); JV Hockey (9-12); Climbing (11-12); Jazz Band (9-12); Lacrosse Manager (9); German Club (10-12)

Coach Harvey's Study Hall; Getting to be a part of the MBA JV Hockey Ice Pups with a great group of guys under the command of Coach Deutsch; Winning the Henry Hines Cup on the Varsity Hockey team my first year ever playing; The Thorium balls guy that talked in assembly; Being apart of the Jazz band for 6 years; Winning 2 HVAC soccer championships in middle school; Very intellectual talks in every German class with Herr Dougherty; Mrs. Lechleiter's skittles; High Jump; Beating Ensworth; London Spring break; fabric and XOYO; Forming the DSC; the Robert's room; LC; Bathroom hopping; Mr. Hutton's journal's; 11th grade homecoming; Big Red room every morning; The Church; And doing all of this with the DSC.

I made it. Nothing feels better than to show the people who did not believe in me that I came through. I would like to thank my mother and father for pushing me through the tough times and for my DSC for always being there.

"DSC for life"



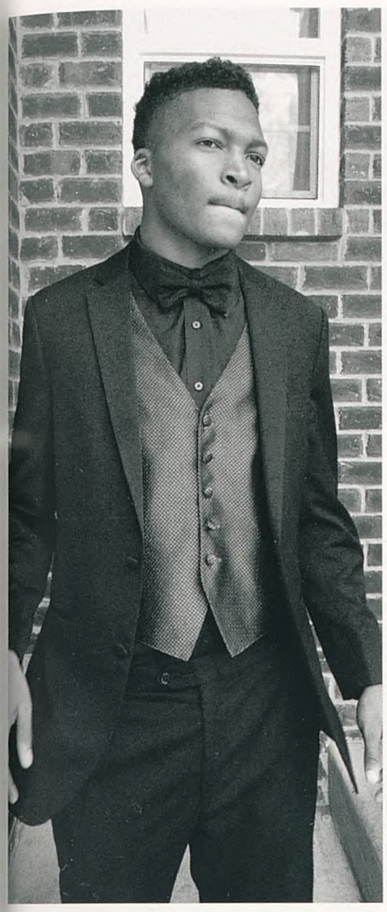
Jamie Payne

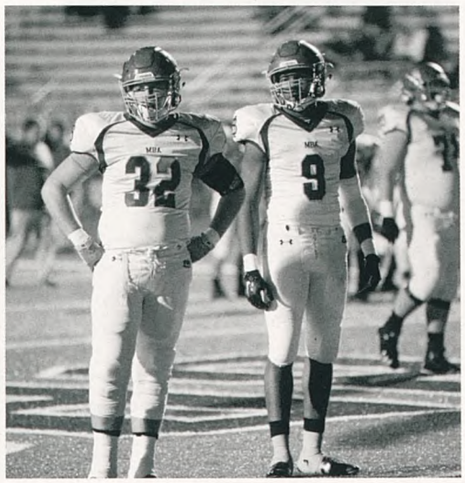
Wilson Art Grant Recipient (10,11);
International Thespian Society Member (11,12);
Bowling (11,12); Ultimate Frisbee (10,11); Riflery (8,9,10); Fc Hype (Forever)

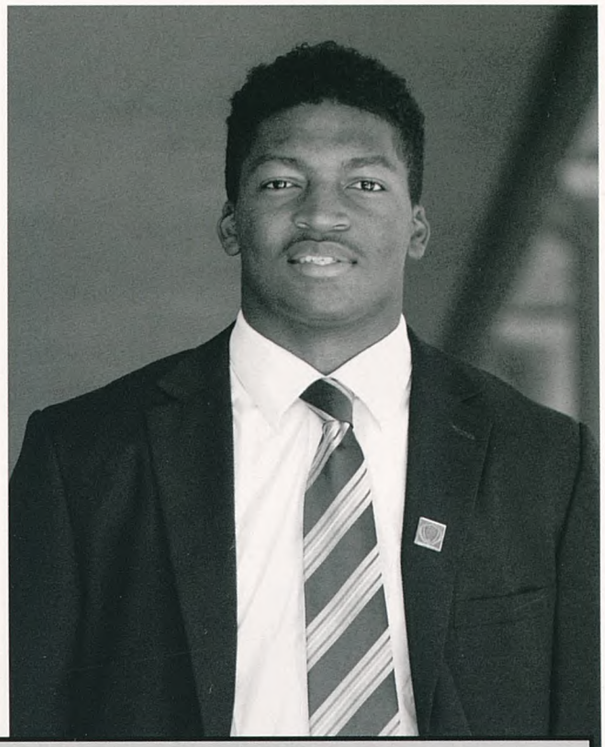
McGuginite; Door Breacher; "OW my back!"; bodiless Jamie; Warhol Theme pls; TFJ; Mr. Womack's favorite Art II class; spyfall; Coach Z; Tottenham>Arsenal; wooden stick in Ry-Guy's clay; RIP George in Studio 3; u r so mad; Pro Clubs; Woot, walk that line; Runs that line full speed; "I'm done dude"; 4th dimension. 5th dimension. String Theory?; Bowl-Off legend; Dem Nuggets b cookin; Personal Space; mushroom; Cam 100% depression; Dono 99% anger; oh my mad; Moon College class of 2020; JB juice; Jay why are you practicing super smash bros at 3 am; 81 in a 45; reckless with Dono; wisest wizard

Thanks to Mr.Womack for installing in me a passion for fine art that will forever grow. Your teaching and excitement for art brought me to class everyday eager to learn more; Thanks to Dr. Kinch for refining and furthering my love of writing; Thanks to Dr.Seay for helping me through the hardest moments of my life and in turn guiding me to become the man I am today (forever your advisee); Thanks to Mr. Trotter for not failing me and still smiling even though I could not say a single sentence in French correctly; Thanks to Dr. Dickens for teaching me to enjoy a subject I was not born to succeed in; Thank you especially to Ms. Swieca - you have helped me through so many roadblocks in my artistic career and inspired me to think critically in every moment of my life.

Thank you to my parents for making it possible for me to attend MBA. I am truly blessed to have parents who let me pursue passions that are unconventional and maybe sometimes frowned upon. This blessing has shaped me into my true self and I will never be able to thank you enough for that.







Oronde Pendergrass

Football (9th-12th); Track & Field (9th-12th); Basketball (9th); President of African American Studies Club (9th-12th); Fellowship of Christian Athletes (11th-12th)

Dominican Republic Trip; Four person math class; Roast sessions during break; Robert's Room during exams; Harold the Weatherman; "Can't prove it"; Bell Buckle; Jessie's Falls at Bell Buckle; State Championship Games; Two Homecoming Dates Freshman Year; Winning the Lineman Challenge; Bruton's haircut; Mr. Sneaky Man; KP's sarcasm; JC getting hypetest; J Wils always being grounded; Stephen aka Risky's DVDs; AP Bio w/ Clarke; Dj Goodman "Zigtechs"; Crunch

I would like to thank all of my coaches and teachers for their support and care. I would like thank Coach Pippin for believing in me and pushing me to excel. I would like to thank most of all my loving, supporting mother and family who I love very much!

Brodie Poe

MC and Brannon; Thomas (GTH); Pulaski; Currey Farm; LEE; Moran rd; late night rides; Krystal's; Bahamas; BVI with Downey; "Good Times" with Downey and King; Del Rio; pokey slow draw; brotherhood; bruther; Steeplechase 2k13; z71 Tahoe; spaceship; Lee calling 12; Construction with Currey and Gar; Gunny; Farm days with Dad; "Really"; hey mane; Cali; Mcpops; the lane; lil hoss; the spot; Honda Pilot; F250; Sanctuary-Pizza Hut; Thompson Station; Hunting with uncle Michael; King and Avery; Log Cabin; Pete 2WD; Bessy; Chick-Fila with kong; Hillwood cruise; Four runner with the Icon; Motorcycle's with Pete; Mcginn Farm; Culeoka; Oball; "Keys"; Ross forehead; F150; Girly with the curlies; Pam's house with girlie every weekend; Farm with Gar; Timmy and Gar late night snow; "What would Martin do if he was here right now"; Gars biddies; Downey's house; The dog; River in the summer; Ro car hitting the tree; First off; Crawfords crib; Nantucket; ramps; back to back in 12 hours; Aura table-bands; bow hunting with Gar and Ro; "who drove through the yards"; Downey's tales; Smiley; Aldean; Lito; .45; BA biddies; Kessler Canyon; #12 with Heith; TONY; MC after school cruises; Titan; Harpeth; Matts gym; and many more better off left as memories.

I want to thank both of my parents for all of their help, support, and time during my journey throughout MBA. I want to thank my brothers and my boys for always having my back. Its been a hell of a ride. Special thanks to Ed Tarkington for becoming a close friend and mentor throughout my final years of high school, never forget you, coach.

Matt Remke

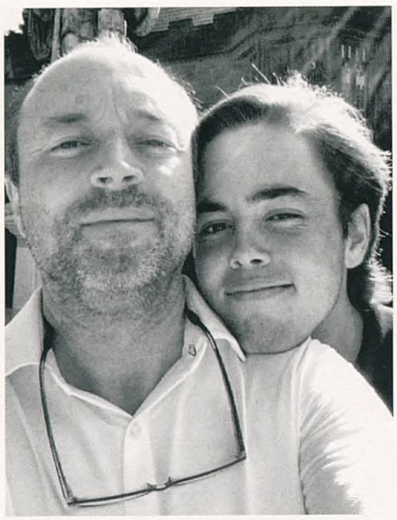
MBA Big Red Chorus, Chamber Choir, Hill Singers, and Headmaster Singers (9-12 respectively); Named to Mid-state Choir and All-state alternate (10 and 12) All-state choir (11); Fannie Battle Caroling (9-12); Actor on MBA stage (7-12); International Thespian Society (10-12); Thespian Jester (12); President of MBA Improv Club (12); FC Hype (11-12); French Club (10-12); Varsity Tennis Manager (9-10)

Countless "Roll Reds"; use your mouth; what happens in 6th period study hall, stays in 6th period study hall; Matt Remke Slays!!!!; the knight cap; Mr. Morrison saying, "faffing"; raise the third; #honored; turuk turuk DAH DAH DAH; yavilluminati; waffle house at 3 am; $6 will buy a lot; scooter races; rooftop in the rain; Hamrick? Is Cam Surry The Weekend without a cat on his head?; More like Ham-bro!; legendary maraca solo; chip-aught-ill; we're rebels; that futon made for sleeping; What's up, Doc?; jolly good; MEET the FLIN-stones; cheers

I would like to thank my Mom, Dre (Dad), Meredith, Mimi, Papa, and Aunt Phyllis for all their love and care, as well as all my teachers for somehow getting me through High School. Thats no easy feat so well done to you all. In particular, Dr. Fuller, I really appreciate two fun and hilarious years of class, and our shows together. Mr. Smyth, the ultimate bro, thanks for 4 years of singing, they really have meant a lot, I never would have had the courage to sing a solo without you. Finally, Mr. Morrison, from Lord of the Flies to The Arsonists, it's been a privilege to act under your tutelage, and to be your advisee. Despite all my stupid jokes and nonchalance, it's been a great ride, cheers. Shout out to all my brothers out there who really made my 6 years on the hill such a blast. Thanks for keeping me humble.

"Always be yourself, unless you can be Batman. Then always be Batman" -Bill Murray

Sam Rhodes



Baseball (7-12); Churchball (7-12); Wrestling (7-8); Blair orchestra (7-12); MBA Orchestra (7-11); Cum Laude; National Merit Semifinalist; Wilson History Grants to Georgetown (11) and Brown (12);

Red Flag Day; painters; speed buddies; baseball workouts; saucy Satco; 5$/hr with Mowery; wall sits with Coach Jacques; word of the day; Brooks Brothers Catalogue; "Now it's a real workout!"; "You heard about Pluto? That's messed up man."; "A mile is not a distance run"; Dirt #1; Autism Speaks Walk; Big Red Boneyard; 8011; M Street; yellow lanyards

Thanks to my parents, my brothers, my teachers (especially Mrs. Roberts, Coach McMurray, Mr. Gaither, Coach Lanier, Dr. Boyd, and Mr. Gioia), my coaches (Coach Anderson, Coach Kimball, and Coach Martin), and my advisor (Mr. Berry) for a great 6 years on the Hill.

"Don't do stupid stuff" - Al Rhodes

Neil Richardson

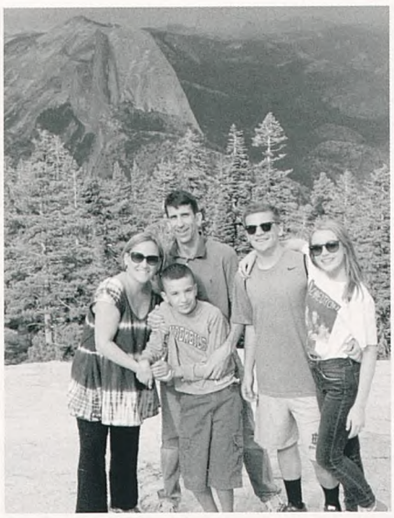
Lacrosse; Rowing; Jazz Band

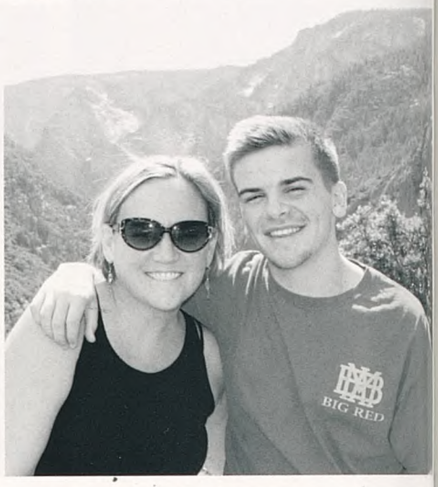
DSC for life; HighJump; Sloppy; Spooky; LitJump; Shame of Cone; JV Lax god; T. Whitton; Derrrrdddddd; MBA gambling club?; "If I dunk a tennis ball, I get a thousand dollars"; Ayere Fare; Spooky Black; DJ Tigre; The sap is rising; Wolf Lean; Swiss Chris; Yung Leandoer shorty; Connor Oman; The meerkat; Grayson Lester; shouts out to DSC; "It was all a dream"-Chris Saxon; Yung Slop; The talking dinosaur; Illuminati confirmed; "I can't go there derd, I gotta tracker on my car"; Matthew Robbins; Haircuts from Mr. Norton; Lil' Squirt; I jumped on Grayson's backpack and broke his kindle; In seventh grade; DJ Burgers; I hid Christian Williams backpack and he did not find it for a week; DJ Bars; Horse Boi; Fallen soldiers will be remembered; So the Malone's house is the move?; It is ironic that the only one that tried did not get it; Jazz Band and Skittles; Despite being separated, we felt together; DSC is love, DSC is life.

Thank you to my family for putting me through MBA and supporting me in sports and academics, no matter how lazy and obnoxious I tend to be, love you all. I also want to thank all of my teachers including Coach K, Mr. Kelly, Dr. T, and Mr. Morrison, especially, because I loved learning from you all and appreciate the skill to write that you have given me. I would also like to thank Miss Kit for her endless love and skittles as well as my advisor Ms. Hollifield. Finally, I want to thank all of my best friends: T, Connor, Chris, Matthew, and Grayson, I could not have made it through MBA without you. DSC forever.

"Well, life is too short, so love the one you got 'Cause you might get run over or you might get shot" - Bradley Nowell

Wes Richardson



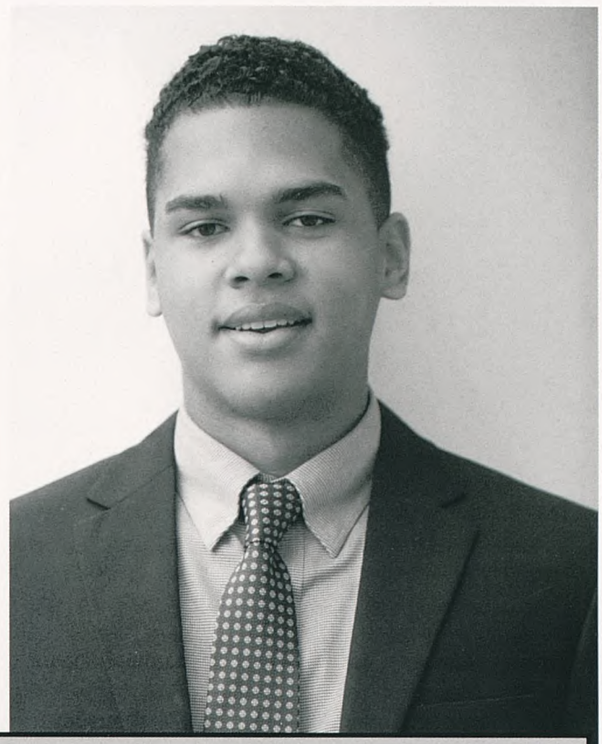


Cross Country 7-8; From C Team to A Team in Microbe Soccer; Debate 9th (so fun); JV Soccer God 10-11; Chamber Choir 10-11; Hill Singers 11; Headmaster's Singers 12; All-State Choir 10-12; All-National Choir 11; Cum Laude; National Merit Semifinalist; Legendary Microbe Baseball Manager

Bonfire at Gaw's; Making really cool observations for Astronomy class; Dr. Batten's class with Winslow; "Dangling participle"; "Wes, I just can't accept this."; Dirty Dub Friday's in Mr. Morrison's advisory; Lol classic afterparty; "Where's my phone?"; Grant finds a way to Wynne at homecoming; "Wes's playlist?!?!?!?"; Football games with ALEX HILBURN'S SPEAKERS; Two rings, one day; Getting all the moms' attention with Uptown Funk; Star Wars day and Cinco de Mayo; Pomona after freshman year with Grant, Alex, and Adam; La naranja; Argentina was fun; All-State and Vator Girl; Somehow staying in first place for a whole mile in a microbe cross country meet; Getting mentored by Coach Go in microbe baseball and Calculus AB; William Hall taking the path less traveled; Nailing Whan that April; "We're on fire!!!"; Silent days in Coach Lanier's class; "Now, Yavin, what religion are you? Buddhist?"; Alex and I becoming related to Jordan Bone; Heartless; Taking L's at both proms junior year; Cantrell fam (@ellie @claire); Weight room; RIP spring break crew 2015; Churchball; Skaff tries to learn to speak English (fails); "It's in your notes"; "sowwy, sir"; Sharbel's history class; Homeward Bound

Thanks to Coach K, Mr. Smyth, Mr. Merideth for helping me with everything for college; Mr. Morrison for not kicking me out of his advisory letting us play music sometimes to keep ourselves sane; Mr. Gillespie for introducing me to how hard MBA would be in IPS; Coach Go for going along with my jokes in his class; Dr. Dickens for teaching me that my middle finger is 2 degrees; Coach Barclay for helping me destroy the Physics 1 exam; Dr. Seay for being a great teacher and recommender; Sr. Paolicchi for teaching me Spanish and Italian; My family for keeping me alive and showing me what's important.

"Is non male cadit qui validior casu surgit."



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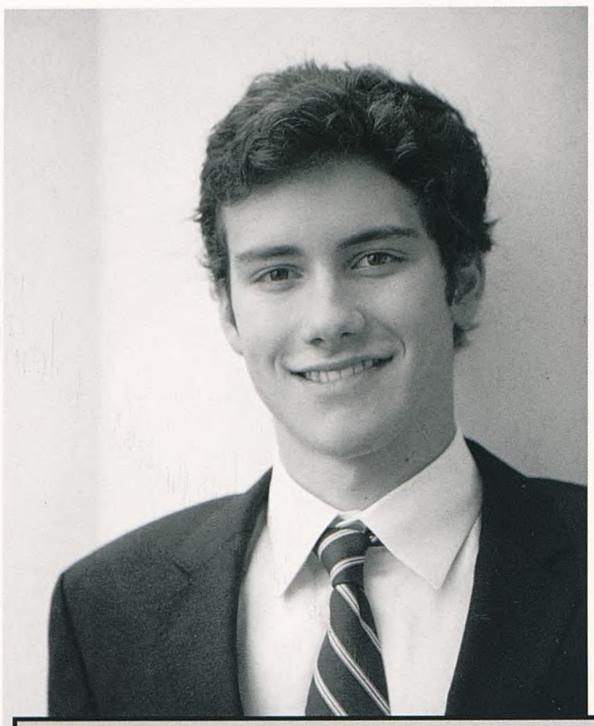
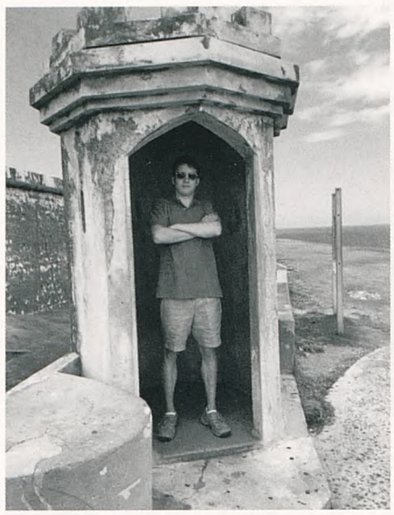
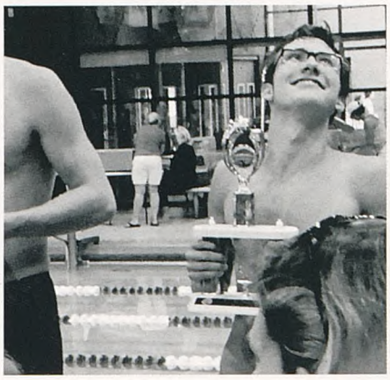


Matthew Robbins

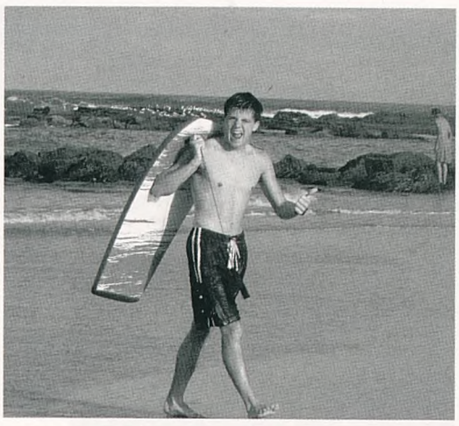


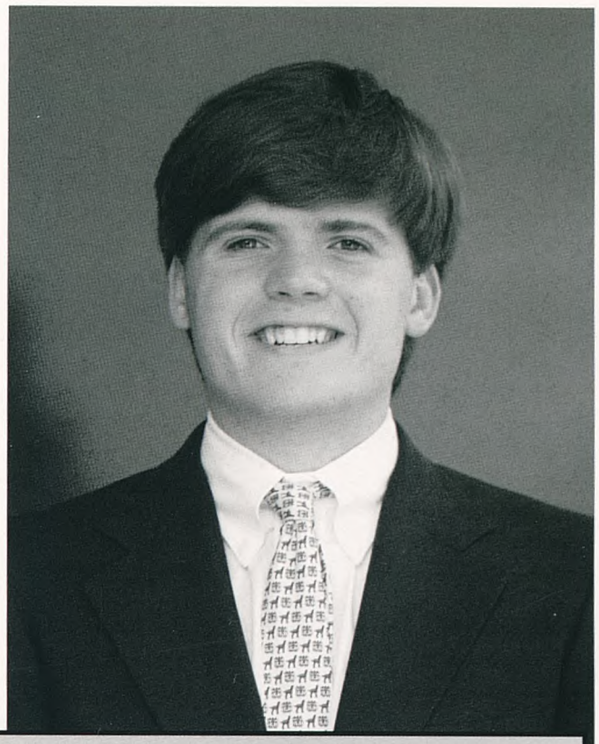


Swimming (7-12); Class secretary (9-10); All American Consideration relay (11); State qualifier in swimming (9-12); 3rd Place in 200 Free Relay at state (11); Swim Team Captain (12); Stock Market Club (11-12)

Worlds Hottest Pepper; Ryan's on the weekend; Late night game sesh; Cod!!!!; The lake; Boat hopping; Mountain Biking; "Throwin Hunneds"; Round 19 bro; 8 hour skype calls; With Your Friends; Phelps' "RAGE" hat; Skrillex; Upstairs Ball; Saxon-"IT WAS ALL A DREAM"; Lester and Greece; Brown Cows!; The real Slim Shady; Spring break; McTenders; Sipper Saurus; Buck?; The Titan; Rack City; Meatlocker; Friday nights; Duel Prius engines; 1:30 am walk down Bellemeade Blvd with G and saxon; poker nights; Waffle House;T Whitton takes on King's Island; The Fall Break; Flux Pavilion; Chance; Downtown adventures; State swim meets; April Mixer; Rights or springs with Steve Aoki; Safari Lord; Rise of the Trio; Geek squad; The Commander; Flipping burgers at Omans; Fourth of July at the Lake; Anna Maria Island; Sequoia days with the boys; Men of the sea; Life in color; Live on the green year one; The Grove; Bourbon street; Raves; Squad up at the Circle; Tillmans' Pre-calculus class; "Circle of trust boys"; Dr. Tarkington's English class; The Stones!!!!!; Prom; Homecoming 2014; Arkansas lake house; "Derd!"; Roberts room study hall gang; High Jump server is back online; Super S junior; Are you PC bro!?; Roosters; I only wanted a Pizza; Unhealthy amount of time logged on Destiny with G. Shone's Calculus class; Coach K. is the man; King James; Apocalypse Now"; The End; The Bellemeade Beamer; Walsh Burger; Brothers; Nero...so close; Sorry G lol; UVA; Stack Master; Coach Loveless; Little Dipper; HH Prom; Long live the DSC!!

I would like to thank everyone who has made my experience on The Hill fantastic. Most importantly I would like to thank my mom and dad for sticking with me til the end even when it seemed like I didn't care about my my school work and for helping me realize I can be as smart as I want to be as long as I give an effort.



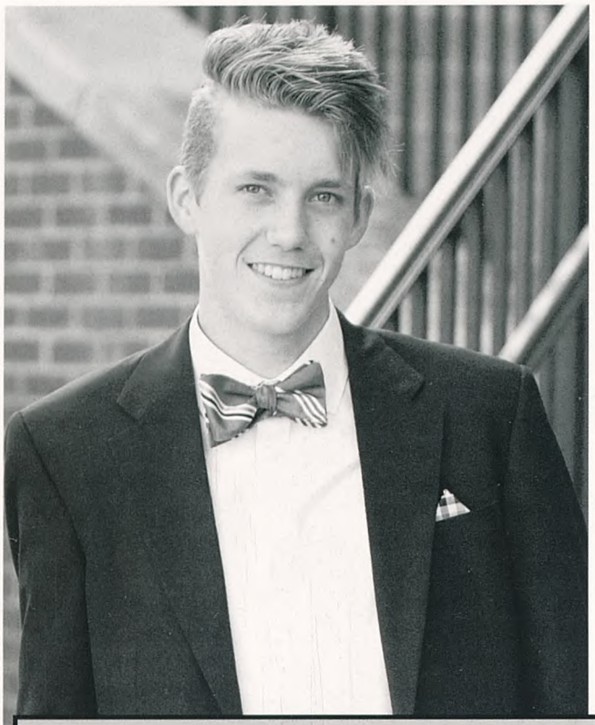


Jordan Rosdeutscher

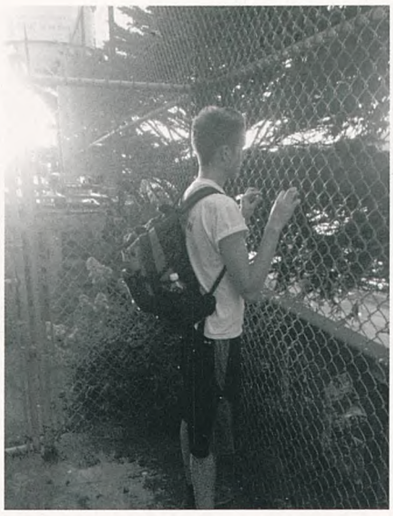
Cross country (7-12), Swim team (7-12), Swim Team Captain (12)Track (7-11), German Club (7-12), FC Hype (9-12), Warner Exchange to South Africa (11)

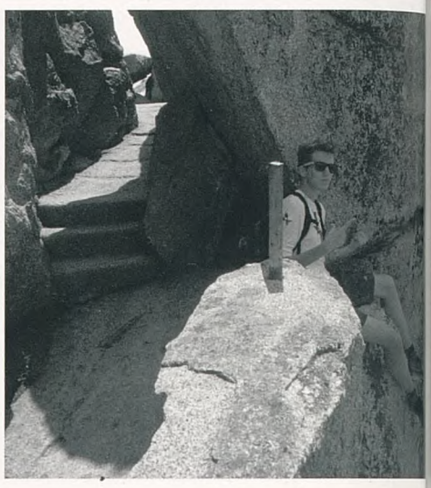
Rack City, Stained T shirt, "It's a good day to run", TEMPOOOOOO!!!, Breaking my leg at Jesse Owens, 6 Directions, Gallon Challenge, Aphorisms Monday, Failing Tale of Two Cities, "Dat Boy Asleep", "Wage No Wordy War With Word Wizards", Coach Eu's Ancient Medieval History, Christian Brother's Spirit Bus, Big Red Army, Dr. Bailey's puns, Silent math classes, Hannon Chemistry, "Lucky Charms", ein Papagei, Breaking my leg... again, Regions Swim Meet, Big Red Sea, BEOWULF!!!, Davidson's riddles, Catch the Ball failure, Food talks with Coach Barclay, Lundgren and Brody's debates, State Champs, Warner Exchange, Cheetah Kill, Dog Pound, Scalpel Invigoration, Rottweiler, Shakespeare Galore, 42 Suits, Fins Friday.

Thank you to everyone of my teachers for helping me get through MBA. My time here has been hard, but rewarding. It's funny to look back on all the old pictures and think about my times here on The Hill. I can remember not wanting to have Mr. Anderson as a teacher, but then he turned out to be one of my favorites. Small things like this are what stick with me and are what made my time here great. Thank you to Coach Russ, Coach Kamm and Coach Pruitt for my cross country and experiences (even if I was hurt). Thank you to Coach Phillips, Loveless, and Killian for amazing swim seasons. I am truly going to miss MBA and all the craziness that goes with it.



Devon Rundberg

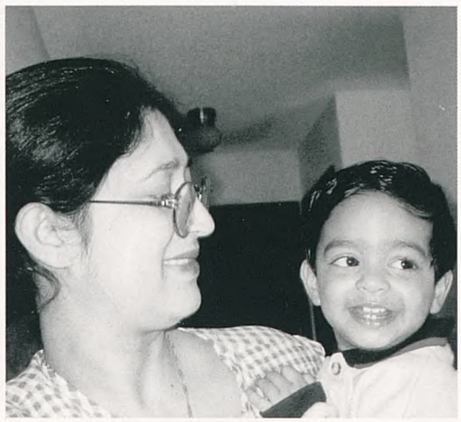




Soccer (10-12); Internship at Operation Stand Down Nashville (10); Dominican Republic Service Trip (10); Lacrosse (7-9); FC Hype (9-12); German Club (9-12); History Club (9-12); Jazz Band (7-12); Rock Band (9-12); Secretary of 8th Grade Advisory (8); Cross country (9-10); creative writing awards (7-8)

Setting a record amount of demerits within first semester at MBA(7); getting kicked out of German class three times in a single class period (11); being honored with the presence of Dr. Boyd; Getting lost on a cross country run and being lost for 4 hours; receiving demerits for saying "Bless You" after someone sneezed in class; a former teacher telling my mother I was the "son of the devil"; never failed a class :) ; hanging out with all of my boyos; making bacon; "gettin' some cheese on the order"

Montgomery Bell Academy is on a hill. Before you exclaim the "roll red!" that subsequently follows the first sentence, I ask that you remember that to be on top of the hill, you must climb it. The Big Red hill is no meager mound, but rather a perilous peak of savagery. While in reality, our hill is only a distance of 70 or so feet, the climb takes us students 6 long years to climb it. I would like to thank my teachers for somehow remaining level-headed and sane after soon realizing that I was indeed in their class for two thirds of a year. Believe me, it was as trying for them to not kick me out as it was for me to try not to get kicked out. My family, while they consistently appear like the enemy for me, are my #1 supporters. My friends, my 'boyos', my lads, and my ladies, you have all pushed me to the top of this Hill, and now that I can see for miles on this great mountain of 70 feet, I see that ahead of me is a future as bright as the eternal flame of the MBA spirit. Roll Red Roll boys. Let's get some cheese.



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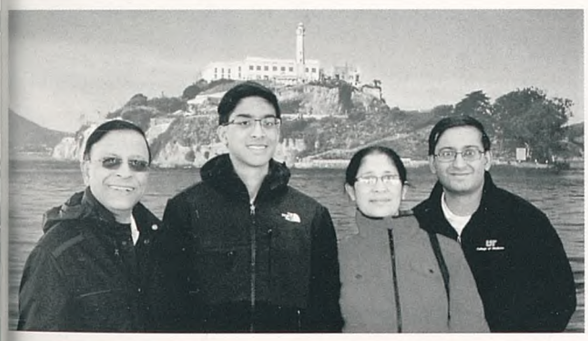
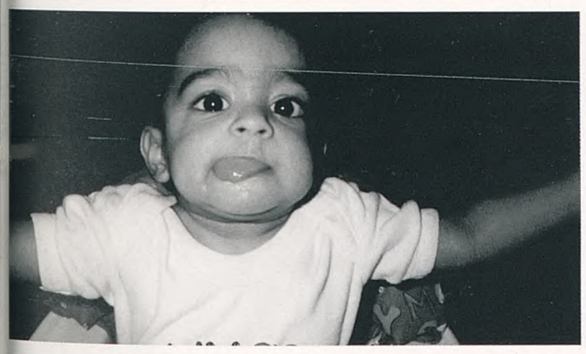
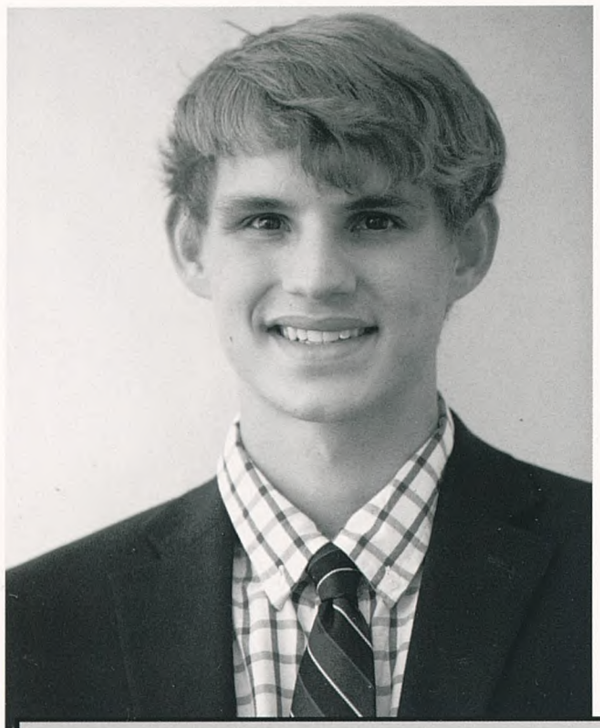




Treasurer, Service Club (9th-12th); Vice President, Model United Nations (10th-12th); Mock Trial (10th-12th); Debate (9th-12th); Paragon Mills (10th-12th); Preston Taylor (10th-12th); Last Minute Toy Store (10th-12th);

7th: Coach Wims' breakdancing; Mrs. Snow's candy bowl; Camp Laney trip; Gillespie's Aristotle speech; 8th: Ms. Williams' advisory YouTube videos; Cicada invasion; Hotlanta trip: paintball, Braves game, go karting, and Six Flags; Mr. Russ's handwriting and note taking advice; Mrs. Robert's amusing stories; 9th: Coach Klausner's English class; One of the worst Spanish students in Señor Kamm's class; Mr. Berry's 1st period Latin class; Dr. Tarkington ripping Stephen about Japan; Coach Harvey making fun of Chris; Ocoee rafting trip; Crew with Coach Lamb; 10th: Coach Moran yelling at Stephen every day; Dr. Marro's Chemistry class; Dr. Bailey's puns; Mrs. Lanigan's motivating Spanish class; Davis Lovvorn and Clark Hooks teaching skills at Paragon Mills; Coach Shone's productive study hall: Phelps talking about his truck, Max and Will watching YouTube videos, Tanner watching Netflix, and everyone else talking or on their phones; Lundgren's regime during study hall; Tyler Forcum's senior advice; 11th: Dr. Young's English class; Señor Kamm's Spanish III class with 5 people; Lundgren's amusing Modern European history class; Coach Barclay's engaging Physics class; Extemp team with Demarco, Kang, and Tony; Football State Champs; Duke Model UN trip; Cramming for themes; Seniors sparknoting last minute for Gioia's AP English class; 12th: Dr. Marro's AP Chemistry class; Hamrick being a brobean; Coach Davidson's math class; Connor shouting and blurting random stuff out; Dr. Kinch holds the title for Best English class; The Door in the Floor;

Thank you to my parents for graciously supporting me. Thank you Nabil for being the greatest brother. You were there whenever I needed you the most. Thank you to all the teachers and coaches for pushing me to limits to succeed. Special thanks to Coach Wims, Ms. Williams, Mr. Chenery, Dr. Marro, Dr. Young, and Dr. Kinch. It's been a long journey with many ups and downs, but I will never regret these experiences I have encountered during my time on The Hill. And as always Roll Red.



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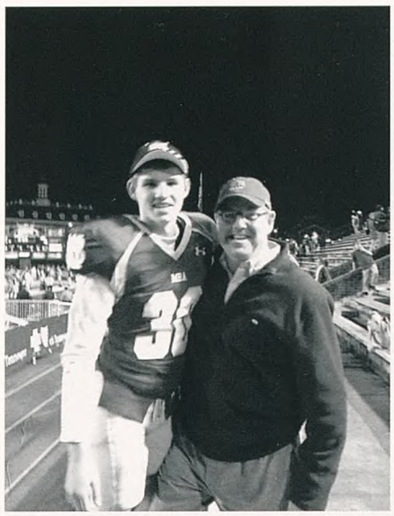

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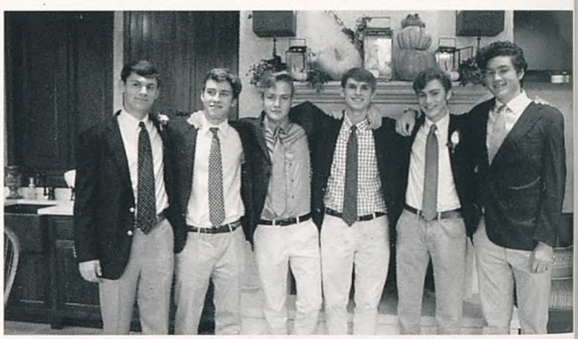

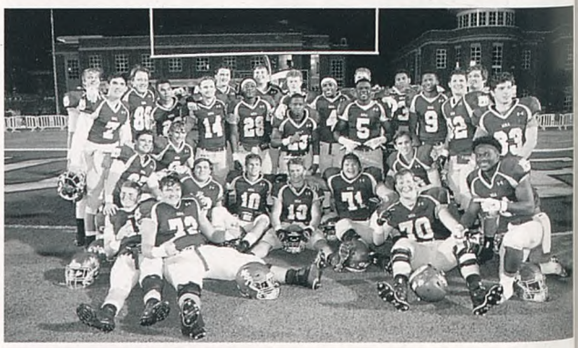

Richie Scherrer

Rifle; Cross Country; Debate; Computer Science Club

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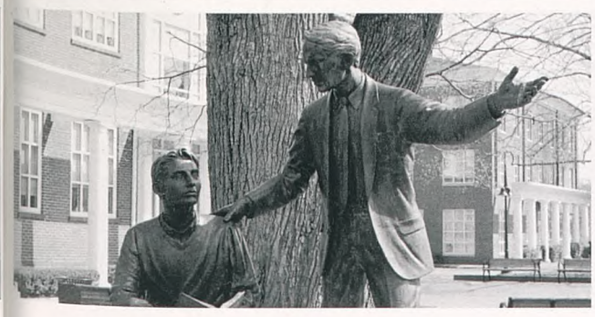

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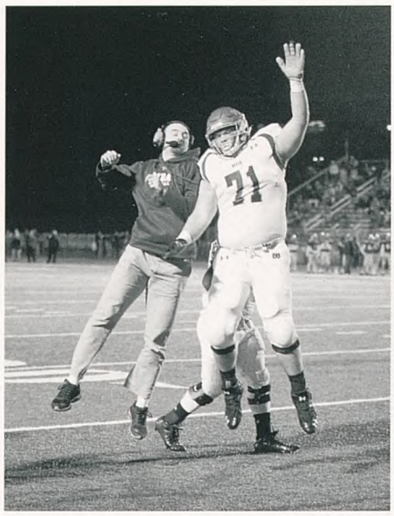
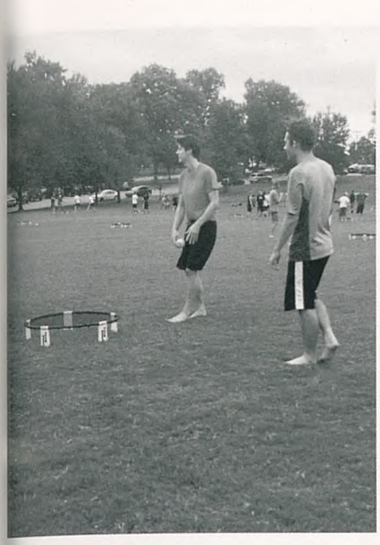
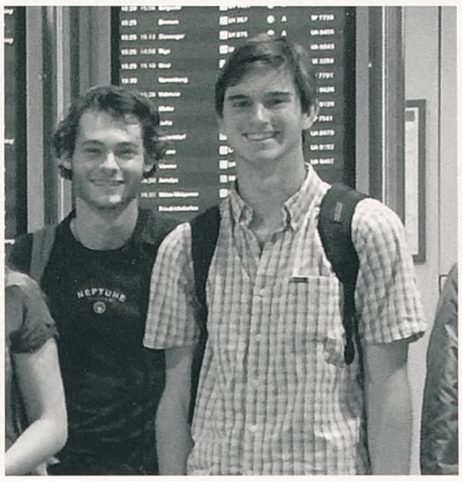


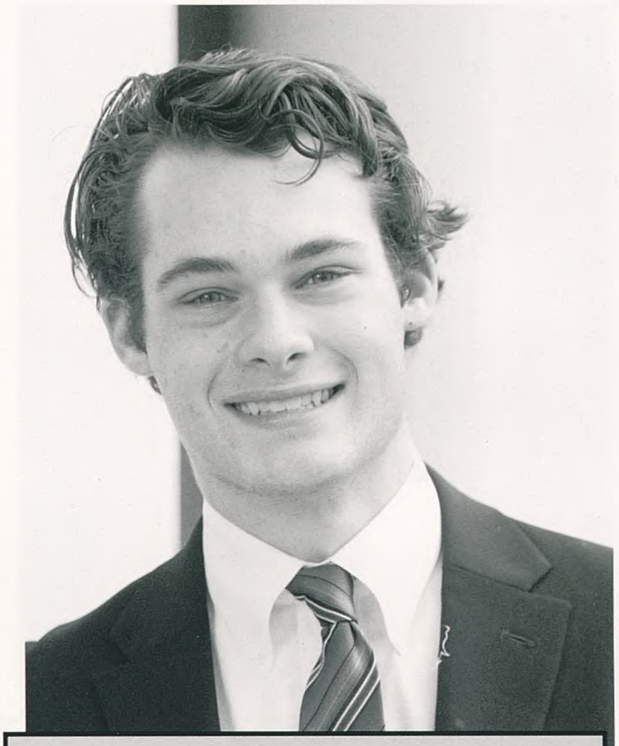
#thegut; what are the odds; turtle john; bear grills; bear grills 2.0 (HC edition); "bear grills 2.5"; M Squared; 2014 State Champions; Peaches; stegosaurus; post game Waffle House; Boi; shawty; heeeeeeeeeeeey- Coach Barclay; men, I was sick once, then I thought about it, and I wasn't; team 116; team 117 captain; bonfire at gaws; Bell Buckle; Grill and Chill; Cole's sass; Mr.D's advisory; freshman stutter; you right you right; horror stories; James Overbee; toad the wet sprocket; duck walk; lineman up; 5ths; shuttles; 6:30 workouts; shakes; strait bread; MUS; Voodoo in Chattanooga; McCallie Hammer; Baylor Pipe; Wrestling; Mr. Pruitt jokes; scowfrog; Wrestling disease; football camps; Louis Lunch; Isaac Talbot; Wolfpack; Dr.Dog; 44-7, then 20-14 OT (KP); post Bell Buckle at KPs; "you can lead a horse to the water, but you can't let him drink"; thunderstruck; St.Crois; Vandy football; Cornell experience; jungle in Columbia; 6th period lunch; flashlights; Quasi Modo; TODD MORAN;. Bus ride rip sesh; top lip; Hot Chicken; Princes; Cornhole in Tark's class; Mrs. Kelly's cookies; early mornings freshman year; Mrs. Susan; 4th period "snacks"; Nutella and Peanut Butter tortilla; ripped pants; ripped by Ms. Williams; Admission Preview Day with Wallen; Broadcasting Hockey; meatloaf and grilled cheese; grill and chill announcements; guacamole; Mrs. Raines in English; the Doctor; big math guy; Prom, after prom, after after prom; Whitworth; why not us; no plan b.

I would like to thank my parents for giving me the opportunity to succeed throughout my life. Without y'all I would not be where I am today, and I am truly grateful that you are my parents. Thank you to Coach Barclay, Coach Euverard, Todd Moran, and Coach Simpson for being huge influences, and teaching me how to work hard to achieve my goals, and to be a better man. Thank you to Mr. Davidson for being an incredible adviser through MBA. Thank you to Mrs. Susan for doing a wonderful job of feeding me.

"With only the touch of my brothers hand to know that I am not alone." Homer and Langley; E.L. Doctorow







Jay Shackleford

JV Soccer, Climbing, Ultimate Frisbee, Dominican Republic 2014

The Summer Boyos; "Those aren't real numbers"; Mr. Lester's shorts; Bad Karma/Cartcon; Fifa pro clubs Father O'Halahan; "Ultimate's a sport"; Early days of FC Hype; Mr. Lundgren's special stretches; Gilgamesh for 3 months; Mrs. Qian's rants; Bondfires; Chris Mowery's Death Metal; Poutine; "It's all blue cheese"; HC Boxing; Deutschland with Tobi and Dani; Schwesta Liz; MMLA shenanigans; Gaither's aphorisms; "My mind is fine it's just my body"; D-Crunk spot; SB deep sea fishing; Don't mess* with the gummies Dani; Fiery Gizzard throw up; Spikeball legends; iHate Technology; SSX Tricky; Cam's Omlets; BF3 and 4; Commander Carr's jokes; Tagpro; Dennis; Mrs. Kelly's cookies; Franklin Kidz; daily applesauce; Jojo tag; Mammoth cave trip; Scooterball; Conner likes Ole Miss; Nibbles; Racquetball; Cameron's U-turns; pong ping; the shirtless week with Dono; 99% Anger; Shaggy and Velma; 7:30 pace but actually 6:30; pool spielen; Walking Dead on Bridge St.; cotton balls and hand sanitizer; Cam's CSGO bets; making crepes

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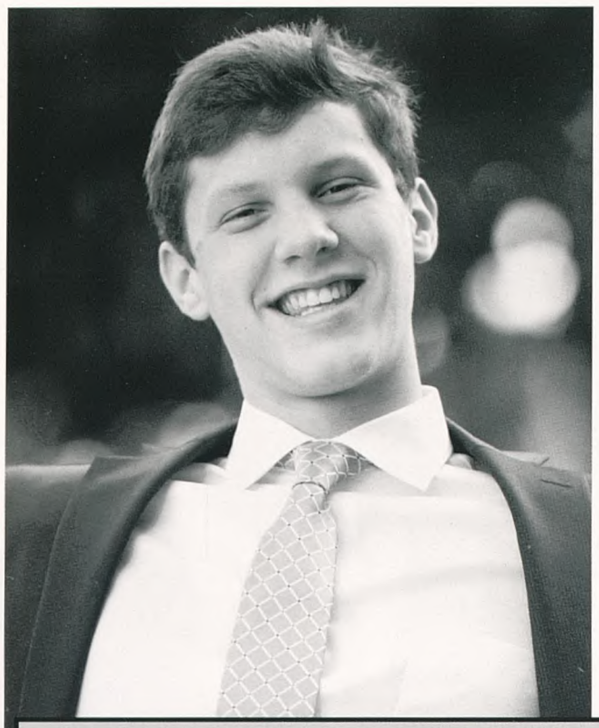

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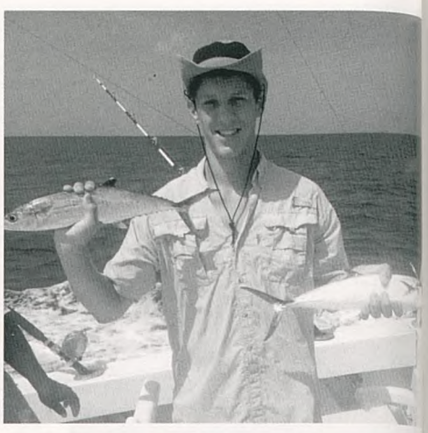

Football (9-10) Lacrosse (9-12) Winchester Exchange; Last Minute Toy Store; Big Red Club

To Doc Marro, Dr. Dickens, Dr. Tarkington, Coach K, Mr. Kelly, Mrs. Palmore, Dr. Bailey, Dr. Seay, Coach Jackson, Mrs. Qian, Dr. Gaither, Coach Linear, Coach Go Go, Mr. Paolicchi, Mr. Kamm thank you all so much for opening up my perspectives and being the best group of faculty I could ask for. Keep blessing young men with your knowledge. To Mr. Gioia thank you for being such a great advisor and mentor and thank you for asking what we had for dinner.

To Coach Harvey, Coach Smith, Coach Garvey, and Coach Brock thank you for fueling my passions and pushing me to be a better athlete and a better man.

Double Qian, Dead Sea Scrolls homework, Werner you look like a clown, Call a spade a spade, Swamp fox, inside joke, the Tark tank, Confounded though immortal, Meter stick hockey, no verk, invigoration stimulation, roman candle, frank the tank, parking garage, nachos that he didn't eat, ski trips, fire extinguisher, chipped tooth

To my boys I'll never forget Sully, G, Diggs, Scam, George, Phelps, Max thanks for being my brothers and keeping things interesting. Y'all are the best guys a man could ask for thanks for watching my back. Sincerely Dad

To my parents and Jonathan, thank you so much for all the sacrifice and support to allow the wonderful experiences on The Hill.

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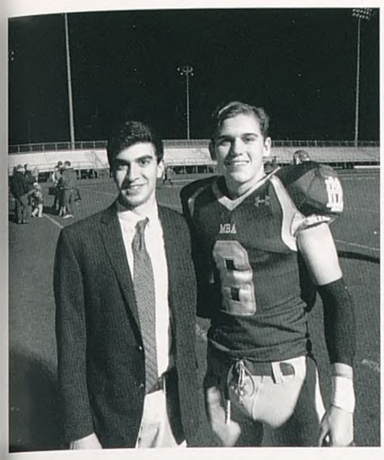
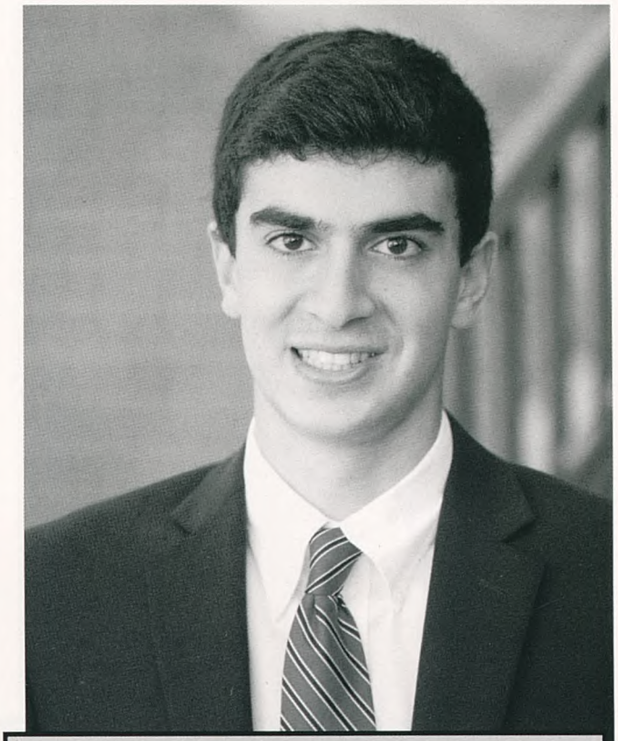




Zachary Skaff

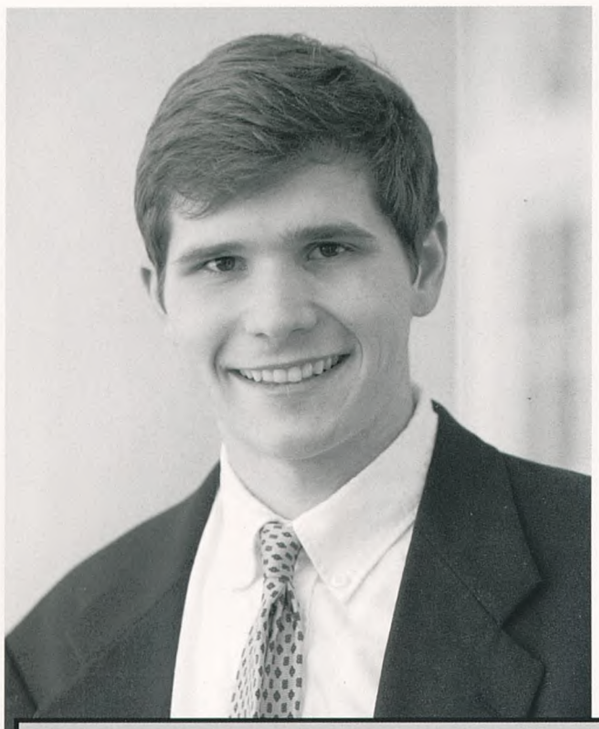
Golf (JV: 10 th grade; Varsity 11 th – 12 th grade); FCA; Young Life; Service Club

9th Grade: FRA – "Get me outta here!"; 10th Grade: Known as "John," "Hazen," "Mini Sam" for first 3 months of school by all the juniors; BA game in the pouring rain; Calico's WOT games; Mr. Hutton's songs; "Sit down and shut up"; Dr. Gaffney – "Who's Z. Skaff?...Oh I call him Dirt!"; dramatic poetry; Mr. Sharbel's American History lessons; 11th Grade: Beat Ensworth in Ryder Cup; storming field at BA and staying for hours; completed pledging for the Moran advisory; "safe and warm"; State Championship game; golf hazing; roll the di twi; light it up in History class; broke my back; 12th grade: Golfing through thunderstorm in qualifier; "good ball"; Creon; the Power Balance; Most Improved Award for golf team; Reike's putt to win the Ryder Cup in a playoff; "stretching around campus"; craven; Coach Shone's hidden donuts; endless packet days; "can slam a revolving door"; 8 th period study hall/March Madness

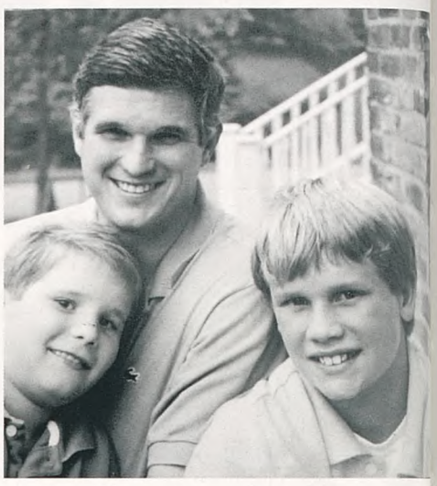
I would like to thank everyone who has helped me along the way and made moving to MBA one of the greatest decisions of my life. I am grateful for all the friendships I have made. I would like to thank all of my teachers, especially Coach Moran and Coach Barclay, for all the lessons they have taught me and for helping to shape me into the man I have become. And to my brother, Daniel, thanks for always making me laugh. Finally, to my mom, thank you for being the most loving, strong, and inspirational person I have ever met. I would never have been able to make it as far as I have without your loving support and your constant dedication to helping me with whatever I come to you with. You will never know how much I truly treasure all you have given me and done for me. Roll Red!

"Do or do not, there is no try." – Yoda

"If you can't outplay them, outwork them." – Ben Hogan



Hunt Smith

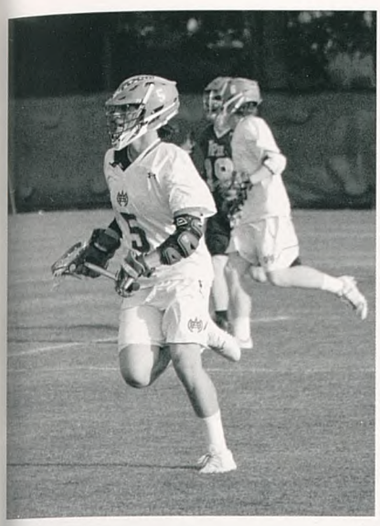


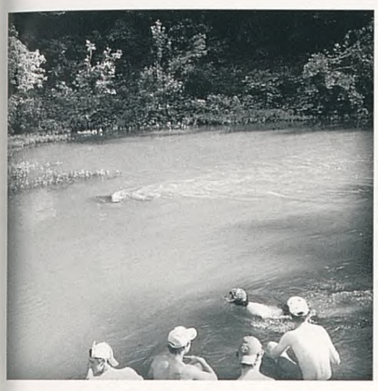
Soccer C team All American: (7-8); Soccer Practice Squad (11th); Football (7-10); Ultimate Frisbee (9th) Crew (8-9) FCA (7-12, officer 12) FC Hype (9-12, founder);

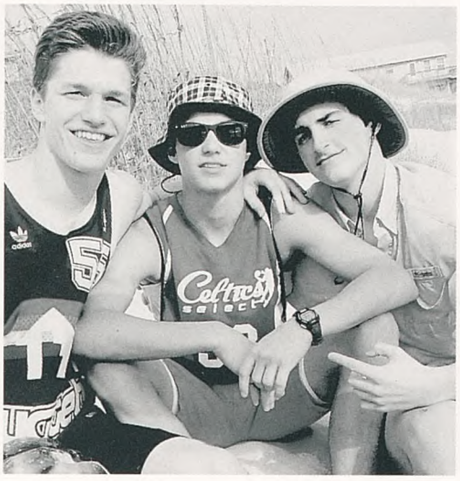
FC Hype: "Can Hype Energy sponsor us?" "Guys I started a FC Hype twitter everybody has to follow it." MVP; Hunt Smith Award; Press Conference; Hayes' Taylor Rules; Ball is never out!; Pro Clubs; Taskforce; Personal space - get out of my personal space; "Johnny I am sorrier than I have ever been sorry before"; "Hunt, do you know what this word means?" Swansea City AFC; Hunt Smith Rage Page; C-Team all american; #FreeMVP; Sexy Squidward; "Do you want to be in my movie" Bread Master; ilk; Brooks Brother's Catalogue; Practice Squad; Troy and Abed in the Morning; Jesus Loves Me Dubstep Remix; Out West Trip; The Complaint department is two hundred miles that way; Good times; great dudes!

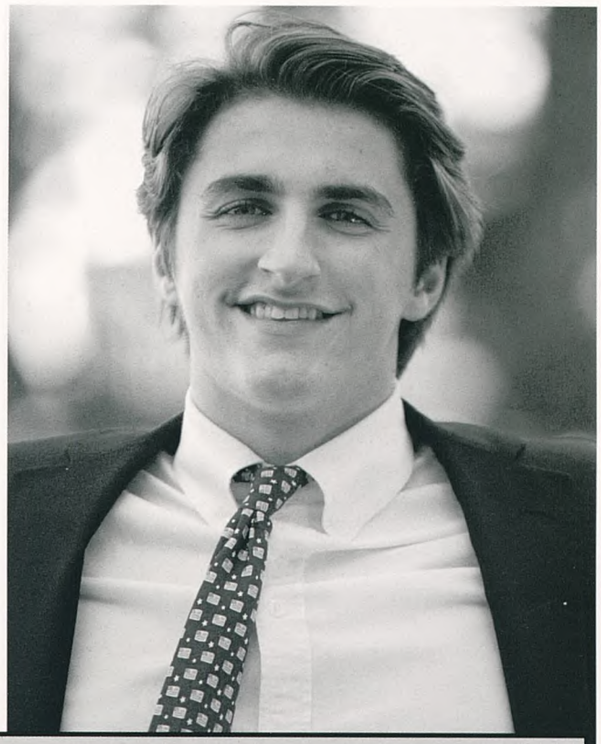
My time on The Hill has been an incredible experience and I am so fortunate to blessed with this opportunity. I want to thank all my fellow FC Hype compatriots who allowed me to develop and obsess over an interest that would otherwise been overlooked and undeveloped. I want to thank my Parents who gave me the opportunity to attend such a great school. I want to thank my fellow FCA officers and Bible Study goers who helped me grow in my faith. I especially want to thank Mr. Bass who took our grade under his wing and eventually allowed me to lead the grade bible study. I want to all my teachers who molded me into the young man I am today. Even though it was sometimes grueling, I am truly thankful for my MBA experience.

"I will lie down and sleep in for you, O Lord, make me dwell in safety" Psalm 4:8

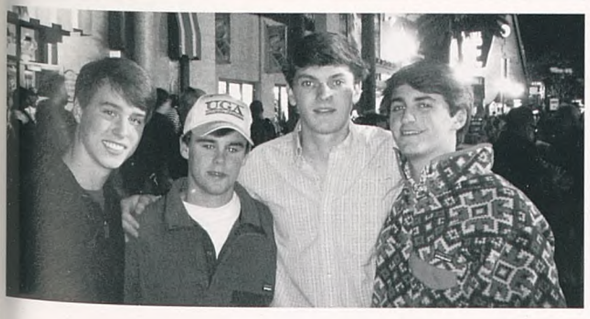




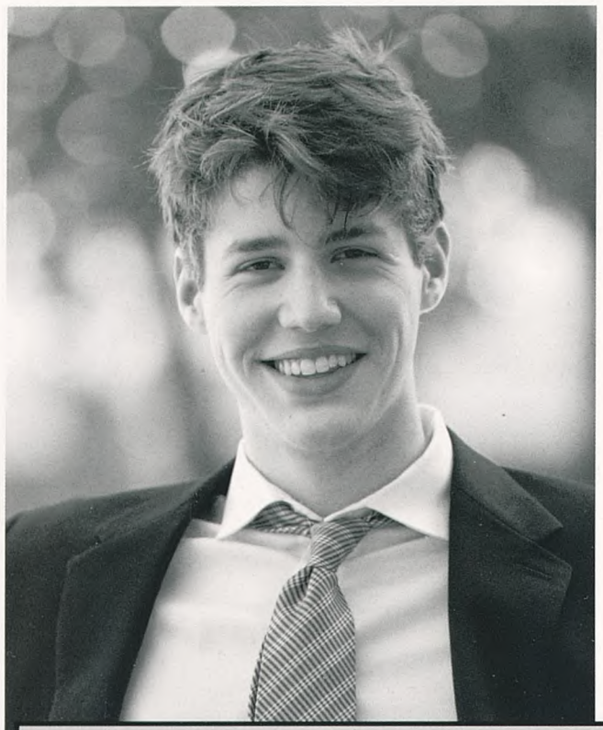




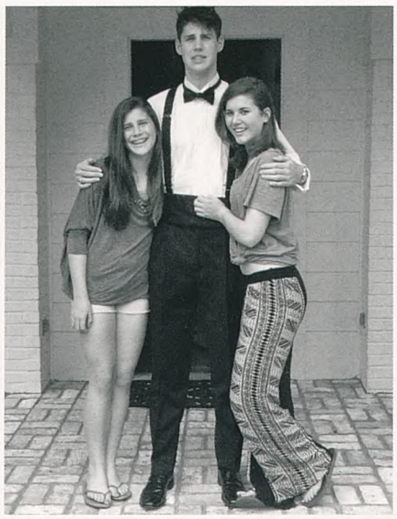
Sam Smith



Hockey (9,10,11,12); Lacrosse (9,10,11,12); Best Buddies (10,11,12)
ROCK ISLAND... Last Resort: CHICKEN MINIS, Hands, ridiculous, rope swing, waterfall, pikkachu, Carl and JR (7-1), 56 nights, base alpha, "jerry, you got work in the mornin?", the trek, the jahzzz, 4th of July, NYE, Walter Jr. and Carl Jr.; Fietti night: 5325; Satco; Alecia Keys; New Years at RI; Pete's Farm; Project O; Rosemary 9, 10 grade SB and 12th fall break: schoolboy crew, Yu-gi-o, mild grilled chicken, la cocina, ONE WORD, SEVEN, ADED, "average", the spot, hey howdy shrew; Mr. Hannon with Ross; sledding at Rusty's farm; trap house; "love that"; jersey night; lifeguarding at hillwood; Shone Clifton (RJ); trascal flatts; Hockey 9-12: playing at Bridgestone Arena; "That's hot"; #EHShateweek; Universal 16th bday; FIL; Park City; Telluride; Vail; Nolan's house; Lacrosse: Satisfaction, MS RAINESSSS, No Excuse; Beating Ensworth in State Championship; Rack City; the Red Sea; the Dog Pound; Treyyyy; Coach Deutsch's sayings; "Vine me bro"; "golf course got me"; "bout that time"; Ohhh Dr. Batten!!; RIP DOE B; Rides through Percy Warner; Jake's basement; "Shrewwww!!"; WV mission trip; 10-24 with Scott; MMJO; Big Red Chorus; Beating Ensworth bball; Winston's house sophomore year; Werner's lakehouse: outta your mind, "you really think you're going to bed?"; Goodwill runs; Cabo flyboard; CMA fests; Crawford's house; Pete's dads and moms house; Russell's farm; the Office; Mrs Ubey Mama; El torero; Dawgs on Topppp; business casual; Mario crew halloween; Pretty Lights; Cherub; Alt j; the River; the TRIO; trio night; late night; Church Ball; Dab Daddy; rally; Future;"You really think I wouldn't?!?!"; "Thank you, it needed to be done"; RIP Regen
I would like to thank all my teachers, coaches, and mentors who have helped me succeed here at MBA, especially Coach Deutsch, Coach Garvey, Coach Smith, Mrs. Raines, Coach Klausner, and Dr. Kinch. I would trade my time here at MBA for anything else. The relationships I have made are ones that I will cherish as long as I live. Lastly, and most importantly, I want to thank my family. Jack and Hoke, y'all have been there for me for 18 years now and I truly couldn't ask for a better pair of brothers. Thanks for keeping me entertained and loved. Mom and dad, thank you so much for being so understanding, caring, and helpful all the time, even when I'm driving y'all crazy. Thank you for all the opportunities, happiness, and guidance y'all have given me throughout the years. Thank you God for blessing me with all that I have. Love y'all. Roll Red for life.

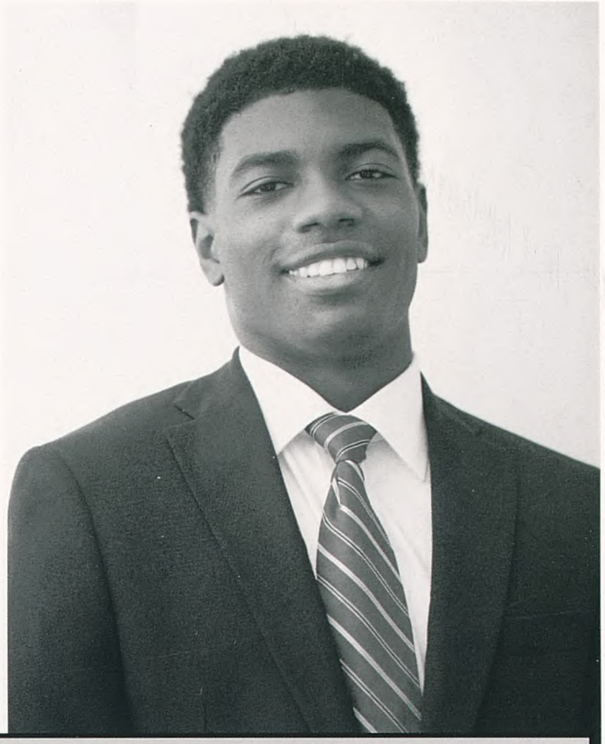


Donovan Sohr



Ultimate Frisbee; Ultimate's a sport; Ultimate is fun; Hold my disc!; Don't warp the disc; Chilly!; Ahhhhhhhhhhh BALLS OUT!; Womack's sense of direction; It's all about the penultimate step; Cam has 100% depression; "THOSE AREN'T REAL NUMBERS!"; That time Cameron fell/was thrown off that ledge; Losing the national Spikeball tournament; beating Grayson in ping-pong almost every time; That time Grayson ditched me at the pool; The basement of the Dining Hall; Dan Herring's multiple choice tests; Climbing club; Salsa Sam; When Jay would steal my chalk; When Jay would steal my key-card; Jay stole a lot of stuff; Greyson Fetrol; Jamis Payne; Cameron's attempt at slackline tricks; "It's Donovan's fault" – Cameron (Track & Field 2015); Board games that got way too intense; When Grayson broke his shins trying to jump higher than me; Spook day 1-365; 2016 Ultimate Frisbee State Champions (just a prediction, but probably not).

First off I would like to thank my Mother and Father, not just for paying for it all, but for having absolute faith that I would not let myself down and letting me know that I could never let them down. I am so grateful that you weren't breathing down my neck like most parents and that you were so confident in my abilities. I would also like to thank my brothers for making my path a little smoother and so much more enjoyable, and to my sisters I would like to say thank you for never allowing for a dull moment at home. To my parents, brothers, and sisters I am proud to say that you are some of the best friends I could ever hope to have had. And lastly to all my friends I want to say thank you for being the weirdest people I will ever meet, I needed it, and am so glad to have had you fine fellows in my life.



Darrius Southwell

Activities:
Freshman year- Gold medalist in the National Spanish Exam; Junior Varsity Football; Varsity Track&Field; volunteered at 2nd Harvest Food Bank; Helped plant trees and gardening at Buena Vista Elementary; participated in Breast Cancer Awareness Walk
Sophomore Year- Varsity Football; Varsity Track&Field; Volunteered at Safe Haven Family Shelter where I helped women fill out online job applications; Volunteered at 2nd Harvest Food Bank; Went on a mission trip to the Dominican Republic through Mission Emanuel, where I helped build houses for the community; participated in Breast Cancer Awareness Walk
Junior year-Gold medalist in the National Spanish Exam; Varsity Football; Varsity Track&Field; helped refurbish an apartment room for a homeless family; helped repaint the inside the Antioch Community Center; Volunteered at 2nd Harvest Food Bank; Volunteered at soup kitchens through "Loaves and Fishes"; participated in Breast Cancer Awareness Walk
Senior Year- Varsity Football; Varsity Track&Field; volunteered at 2nd Harvest Food Bank; Volunteered at soup kitchens- "Loaves and Fishes"; Served as a counselor for a summer program called "Summer Scholars"; participated in Breast Cancer Awareness Walk

Memories:
Always going to the senior room and joking around with Harold and Jordan; always going to the computer lab during break; 8th grade Atlanta trip; sophomore trip to King's Island; Joking around in the dining hall; Friday night football games; "Shmackables"; "Fam"; "Bruh"; "Nice man...Nice"; "Sick"; #CrunchMovement; the time my homework got stuck in coach Barclay's ceiling in his room

I'd like to thank all people that helped me get to where I am today. I'd like to thank my parents, family in general, teachers,and everyone for helping me through my experience and making my time at MBA great.

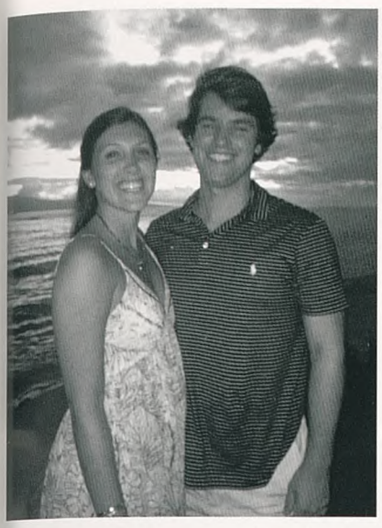
"The best dreams happen when you're awake"

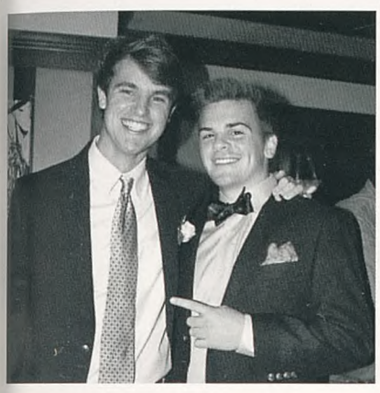
Nolan Spear

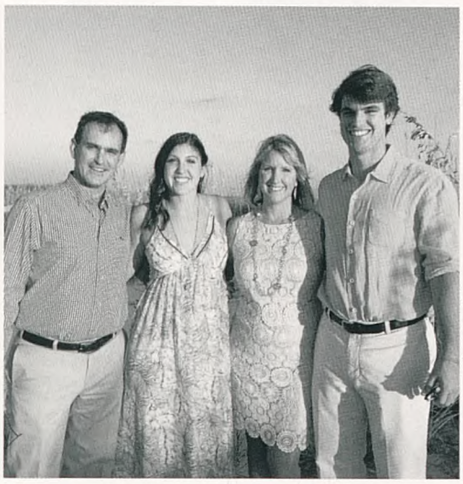
Eagle Scout; The Bell Ringer (9-12); Theater (9-12)

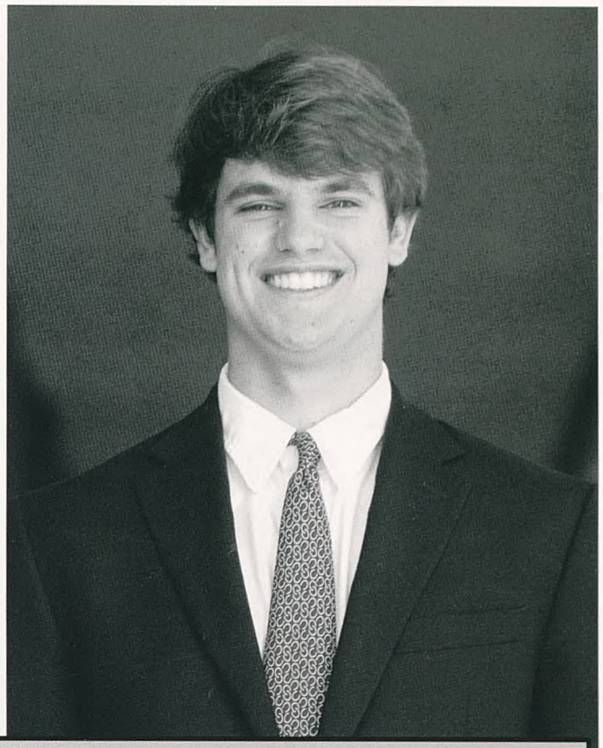
Cows gotta get milked; Did you just call this, the Block?; I'm four legging...I'm two legging....I'M ONE LEGGIN!; Dr. Gaffney's threats; The Chenery Chuckle; Ryan Howard's first home run; Philmont; Percy Warner golf; The Steak Table; Savagery in Moran; BA in the rain; Based God free throws; Rites of Spring cab driver; Alex's Good Friday Lies; Ryan Howard's second home run; Will Norton skipping class in Moran; Kong's ankle in Brentwood; Abbey Snow's; the Michael Jordan jersey; CMA bathroom incident; The World Cup Party; Turner Schooley debacle; The five guys audible; Dodging the cops at my own house; Project O Part 1; Pre-junior year pep talk with Alex; Homecoming bus ride home; Back in the day where we could abuse the fire out of um; "Respectfully, sir"; Poe Alley; Instagram; Some teachers lock their doors, but I want to be on the front page, so I leave mine unlocked; Project O Part 2; the (t)Hot Tub; Winter Formal Uber; Locked doors at WF; My toe at Hertik's lake house; The Hoxton Hotel; X-O-Y-O; London weirdness; Geer and Blake eating the fish; Theo post-wisdom teeth; my backyard; Paddock Room; Alecia Keys by Doe B; Dr. Mathew's office in Hermitage; Ms. Ubi Mama!; Uber into the ditch; Tutweiler sleep walk; student section speakers; Coach Shone's rants; King's interception in state; +327+, +328+

"Get busy living or get busy dying"









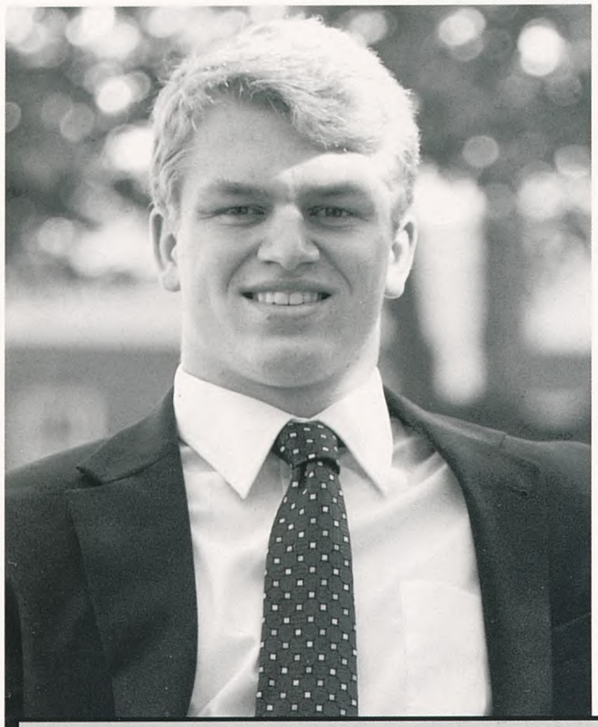
Alex Stevens

Freshman Year: Freshman Football; JV Baseball
Sophomore Year: Varsity Crew
Junior Year: JV Cross Country; Varsity Strength and Conditioning Co-JV Captain
Senior Year: Cross Country; Senior Class Secretary; History Club Co-President

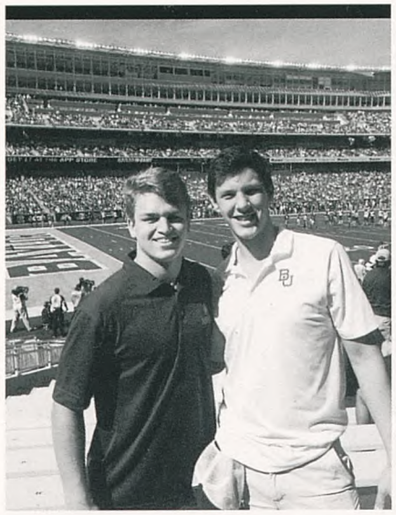
K.P's terrible cough at sophomore mixer; Davis and Bailey; CAP; Bronson to Mrs. Gaw; Grant vs Bronson; Jesse at homecoming; Jack and Corinne "I was playing league of legends"; Life in Color; Pretty Lights by myself; Gregor and the crocs; Church on Woodmont Blvd; Madden Challenge; Washington, DC on the 4th; Sophomore spring break at Rosemary; St. Patty's Day; "Can you help me find my 100 dollar bill"; Grant and Jesse beef every day; 6th period lunch rail sesh; What are the odds?!; ICEBERG SIMPSON; Hkam scheming; Late night poker and queso; Earth wind and fire aftermath; Davis flooding upstairs with shaving cream all over him; Fat and family jokes; the playground at sugar tree; "Give me my keys"; RIP my phone at junior homecoming; Gaw getting goofy; "Weight Room"; "Get out of my car"; "The Tank"; Julia getting mad?; "Confidence"; Jscow picking up anyone who asks for a ride; "The Gut"; Round 4; USN dance; Nickname on the freshman baseball team; "I'm sorry" -Jscow; Neri Nights Churchball and ski trips; "Where's the bus?!"; "Fish or fiisshhh?"; Jeese can't hang; Natty Champs; "You need to shave"; Mr. Lundgren; Mr. Lester taking me to archaeology camp; After hours at Glendale; KP with shades on going down highway 100

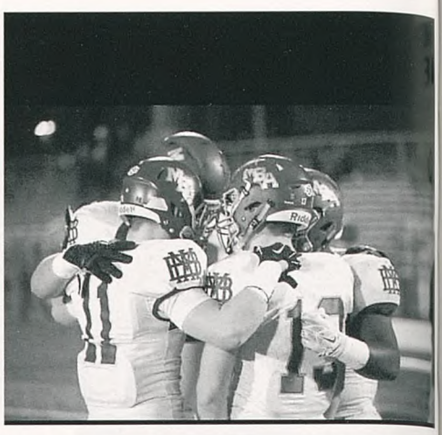
I would like to thank all my friends and teaches for helping me through this journey at MBA. I would like to especially thank my wonderful parents who provided me the opportunity to attend MBA and were always there for me when I needed it. Thanks, Greg and Court, for being chill and the goats.

"You need to shave." -Every teacher, every day



Sam Sullivan



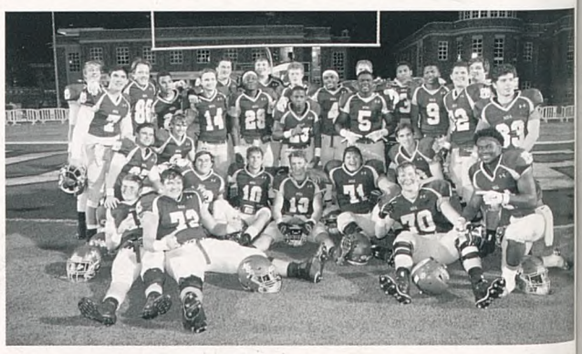


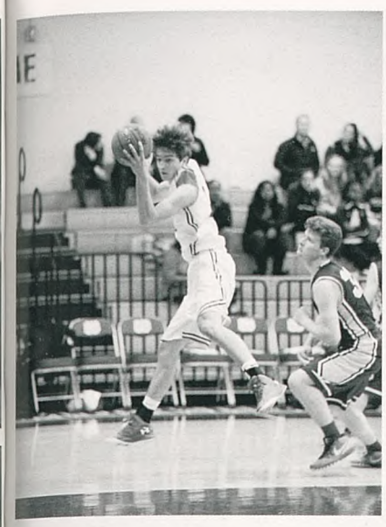
Football (7-12); Captain (12); Wrestling (8-12); Track (7-10); FCA (9-12); JS FCA leader (11); VP FCA (12); DR Trip (9-11); State Champs 2014, Runners up 2015

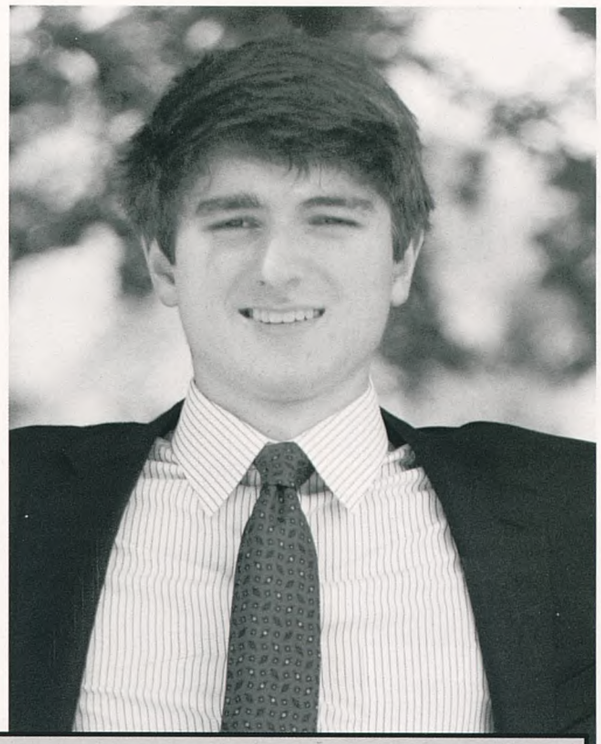
Linemen Up!; "He made a mistake... He ate the tongs"; Watch out for OJ!; Egg slap; Scam's entrance into Berry's class; Gruden face;"Mr. Lazemby?"; Max's window; "It's cold in there!"; Come here you BAT!; Diggs is so well dressed; Water!- Slap- KO; Say boy that'll be 44.95; Cashew shenanigans; Typical Tim; Look at this graph!; Erasing Herring's board; Dickens cussing out Scam; DR trips with Cole/ Hunter; Todd Prevost; Prison rule soccer; Chicken minis... Who does that?; Scow's gut; What are the odds?; "Fake wood?"; Just talking to talk; John's hips; Goin' liiiive!; Phelps= Felt; Pop-eye; Phelps's truck; Max= Undrafted free agent; Monday nights at Scott's; Diggs getting hype at TCobb's; Sports camp w/ Nick and Berk; "High Stick! In the box!"; Movie quotes w/ Nick and Max; Tillman Advisory; Jim's fake laugh; 4 hour campfire; "I'm KP"; Carver Morgan; Goofy Gaw; I mean idk, you think?; Midnight runs; Bell Buckle table; Gaw Friday morning; Bruhdahood; Werner's haircut; Brock shuffle; 5ths; Chauvin's magical play card; Coach U's hawk; Thursday tailgates; Speakers at Baylor; All three BA games; Beating Ensworth; Rematch in Cookeville; Block in the back/ Didn't even score!; Still best game ever.

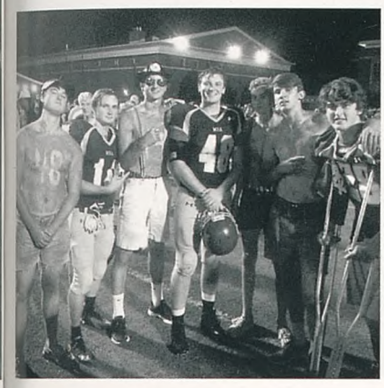
I want to thank all my friends and teammates for the love and support they've shown me throughout the years. We've made memories that will last a life time.
To my teachers and coaches, I am forever grateful for the life lessons you have taught me. I want to thank my football coaches, especially Coach Euverard, Chauvin, and Brock, for pushing me every day to be the best I can be.

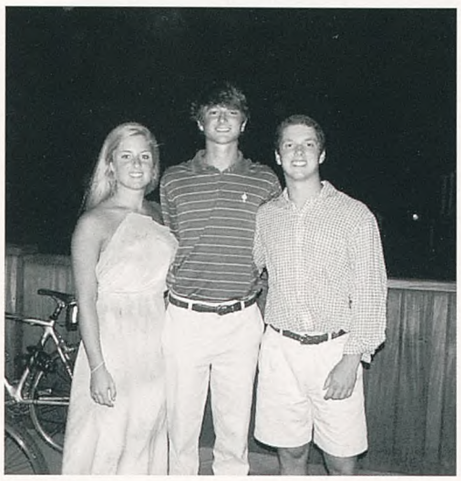
Mom and Dad, thank you for being there for me and guiding me with love and care. Clay and Shaye, thank you for showing me the ways and being a great influence on my life. Thank you to everyone who has made high school such a great experience. It's been a wonderful 6 years on The Hill.





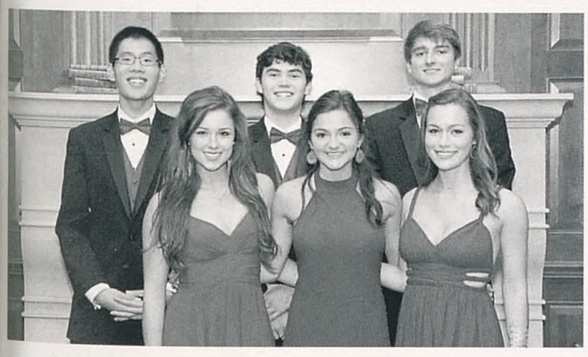






Carson Talbott

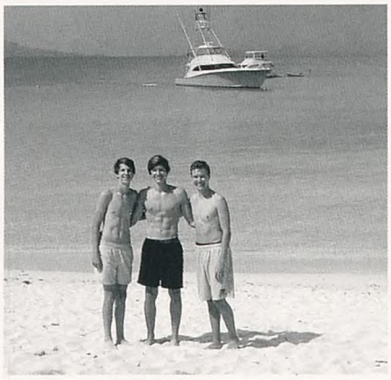
Basketball (9-12); Golf (9,10); Student Council (10-12); Disciplinary Committee (12)

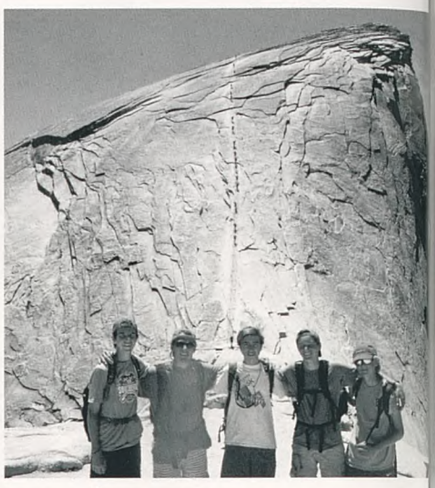


Sophomore Graduation at Clarke's; Back to back redemption; "WHAT'S YOUR NAME"; Uh Jon Or; Clarke's Mental mistakes; "Everyone has their role, Clarke" –Ronnie Mac; Diggs playing Mario Cart; Agar.io; "I love you guys"; Homecoming 2k14 backseat driving; Sam Jiang for three; Coach Anglin's name puns; Anglin's jokes; 4am Call of Duty at Gray's; JV golf Squad; Coach Pettus's legendary JPII halftime speech; Alley-oop to J-Wil; "Don't worry, we didn't do anything"; "It's in your notes"; Pump-it-Up; Chase's house; Rock Lobster; Wheel for Chuck; "Come on guys four months to tryouts!" –Clay; Late night Parmer Park; "Wanna break stuff?"; Weikert's game winner; Soupy Cheese; Manders; The Toilet Bowl Cleaners; Gaw ordering in France; Doc Conner; "Deep Talks"; Everytime We Touch; Leap Frog; Freshman Qian Class; "It's amazing what can be accomplished when no one cares who gets the credit"; ilk; WKU team camp with Clarke; kinda hot; Coach Henderson's sniffles; Running the table; Walgreen's parking lot; mad beef with Dr. Kinch; Hornsby's fouling; Christmas tournament; "Justice"

I want to thank all the teachers, coaches, and mentors who have influenced me during my time at MBA. You all have pushed me to become the person I am today and I am thankful for that. Thank you Mr. Kelly for everything you have done for me. You have been the best advisor despite giving me demerits. Coach Mac, thank you for always helping me out and making fun of my proneness to getting sick. You have delivered some of the best in-game dialogue I have ever heard. Coach Anglin, thank you for what you've done to push me as a player and a leader, as well as provide some MA-rvelous jokes in the process. I cannot put in words how much you both have influenced me. Thank you to Dr. Boyd (I will always be hype for history), as well as Coach Barclay, for both making Junior year so enjoyable. Thanks Coach Shone for your wisdom as well as ripping me about the doughnuts. Coach Lanier gets the last line.

Crom Tidwell

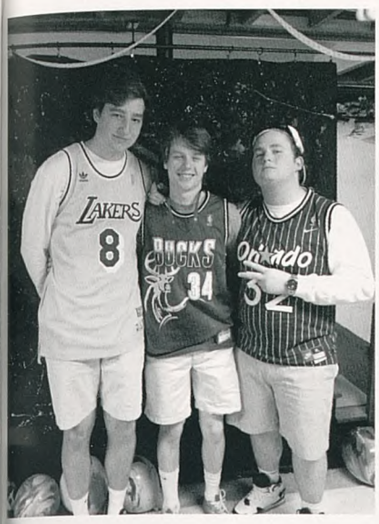


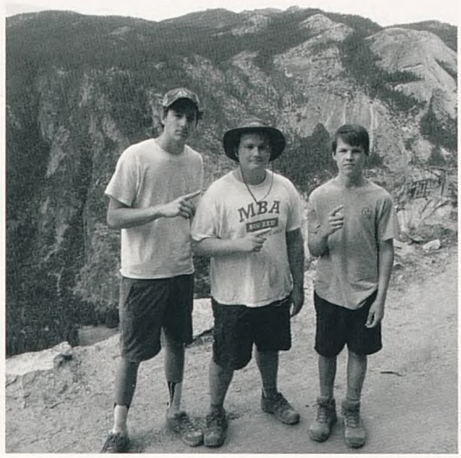


Cross-country (10, 11, 12), Soccer (10), Lead MBA (10), Model UN (11), Appalachian Trail (10), Out west (11), Dominican Republic (10, 11), Virgin Islands (12)

I want to thank everyone who made my journey at MBA such a great experience. I know that none of this would have been possible with out the amazing support of my family, friends, and teachers. I want to give a special thanks to Mr. Kelly, Dr. Carro, Sr. Paolicchi, Sr. Kamm, Dr. Kinch, Mr. Clark, and Coach Russ for pushing me to do more than I ever could have done on my own. Sr. Paolicchi, I am still not sure how turned Spanish into one of my favorite subjects, but I am truly thankful for your endless help and passion for teaching. Thank you Mr. Norton for all your support and help, I learned so much from the numerous trips that you led during my time here. Thank you Mom and Dad for putting up with me and always being there to help me along.

There is no way that I could have survived without your constant support and I am so thankful to have you two for parents. While MBA was filled with endless struggles and challenges, I know that they have prepared me for future goals. I am thankful to have been a part of this amazing community and the class of 2016. Thank you again to everyone who made this experience possible; these memories will last a lifetime.





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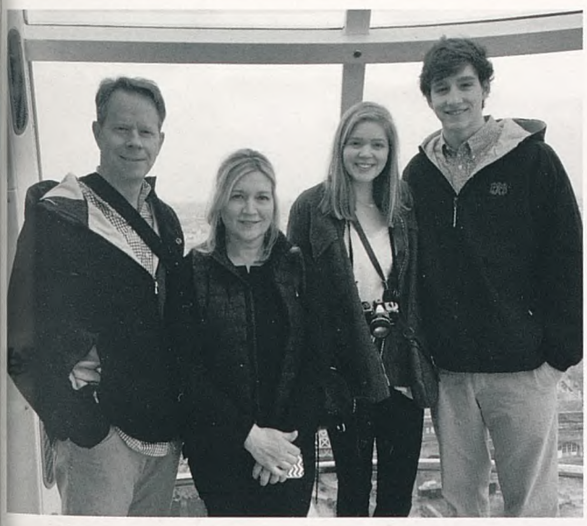


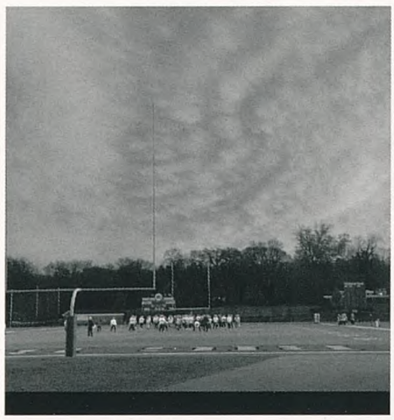
Golf 7-8;
Basketball 7-11;
Student Council 9-11

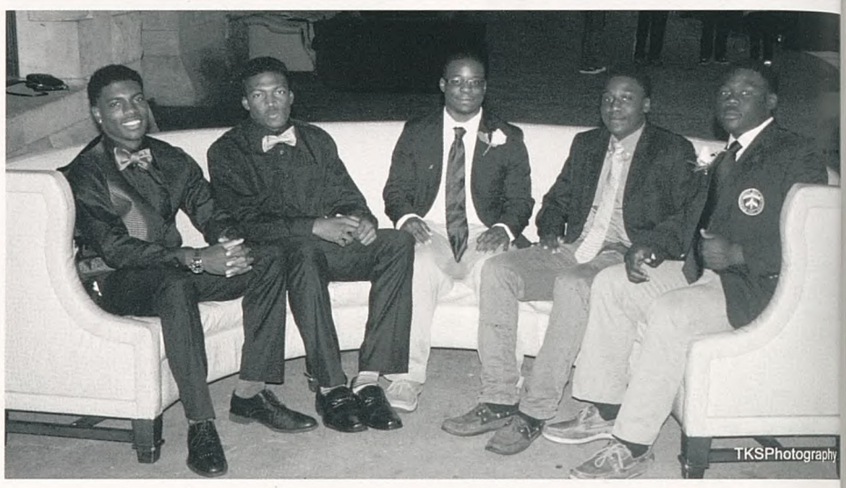
The black hole; The Crew; Mr. Pruitt; the raptor; 12 Gage; Frank the Tank aka Big Rick; Scam vs. the parking garage; Out west trip with Captain Norton; Good Times, Great Dudes; Mrs. Anderson's nacho cheese; The Gruden face; BA; Cashews; BBQ Chicken Pizza; Best night ever; Rack City; Sully's Lawn Mowing Business; The Men of The Sea; Sawyer's desk; Sulfur water; Oaf Oafington; "George is that your dad?"; Roo; Singapore with the boys; Zouk; "That'll be $44.95"; Cabo; Ireland; Jackson's lake; "I ate the tongs"; the rancher; "What is a convo?"; Tark's casual attire; The rogue; Creon/Sam the eagle; "I can hear my clogs pouring"; The Lech Effect; The boys are back; 798; BLACK; Mario Cart at Carson's; The #PGP; The Westminster Flight School

I'd like to thank my parents for sending me to MBA and all their support throughout my six years on The Hill. Special thanks to all my friends, Coach Anglin, Coach Mac, Mr. Norton, Mr. Gioia and Mr. Tillman.

Roll Red.

Harold Turks

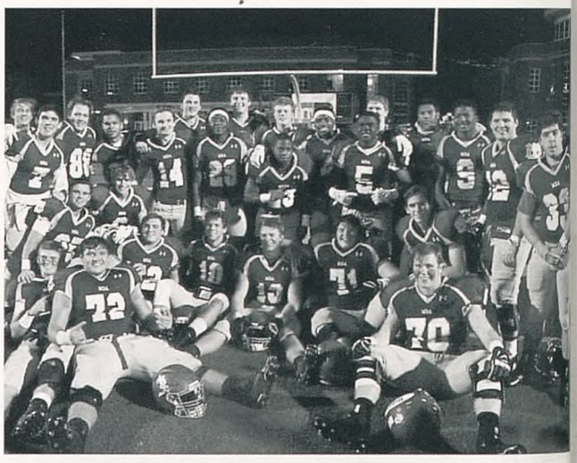


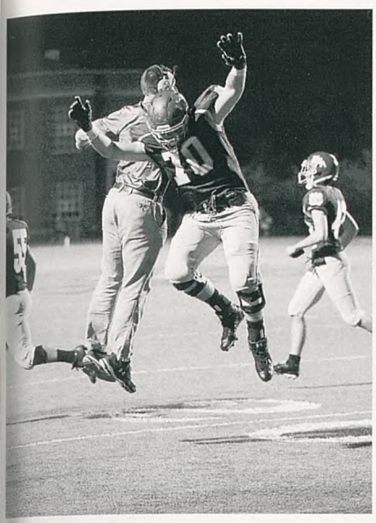


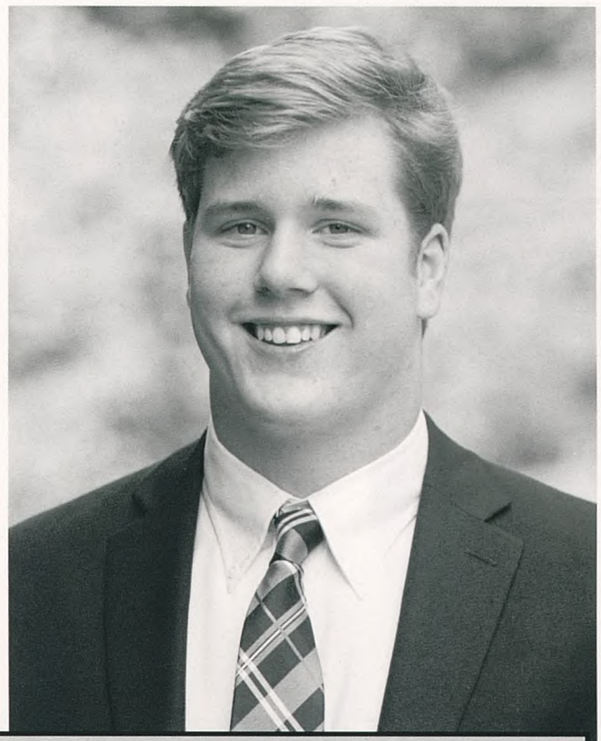
Shattering my ankle in 8th grade; D'on Coofer eating three triple Baconators; MBA wrestling is so fun; freshman year homecoming; where is Avery Graham?; Coach Euverard does not get sick; running through the chute with Coach Davis, Tony Drew is the fastest and strongest man alive; Harold Turks aka milk dud; aka jelly bean; aka Yung Grapefruit; 6:30am football workouts; rest in peace to my playing time in 10th grade; gotta love the 50s; 2014 football state champion; 20-1 at Tommy Owen Stadium in High school football; not making weight in 8th for the Harding academy Match; Coach Go's Ray Bans; Jordan Wilson 8th grade year at the Ensworth game "attempting" to spit game; Kilimanjaro has the best air conditioning In Nashville; Welcome to buckle; Jc fogg at the lunch table in bell buck senior year; Christopher Lundgren; What are Thooossee; Coach Shone does iron man; I still look like a milk dud; master finesser, The Rundberg school of music; Oronde Pendergrass has had the same haircut since freshman year; starting over Ty Chandler for the entire 2015 football season, Karlton with a K Bruton; Future Hendrix; Monster equals the greatest mixtape of all time; Purple Reign Purple Reign Purple Reign; I like cheesecake, the original kind; Rites of spring 2k16; rapture them cheeks; sensational; I Am The Real DaB Daddy;

Special thanks to all my coaches: Coach U, Coach Simpson, and Coach Davis;
Special thanks to every teacher that had taught me since 7th grade;
Special thanks to my parents for making it possible for me to attend MBA for 6 years.

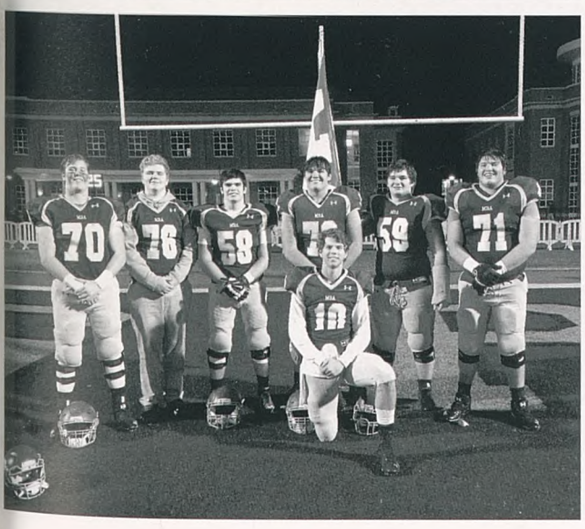
"If a man does not have the sauce, then he is lost. But the same man can be lost in the sauce"- Gucci Mane







Jesse Turner



Football (7-12); Track (8-12); Wrestling (10-12); Spanish Honors Society (10-12, VP of TN Chapter); Hispanic Achievers/Paragon Mills (10-12, President); MBA Ambassador Society (11-12)

Coach Jacques; "You rockin?"; JT83; The Red Telephone; Dr. Batten's Axe allergy; Robert Fagles; The Waffler; See my dockers; Mr. Herring's quick hand; "Let's get high on history"; Roll the di twi; Caldonia!; The Bean Patch; Dinner and a movie; Sophomore Spring Break at Rosemary; Gassage; Gaw's deep conversation; Falling down the hill at Bell Buckle–twice; "I was sick once"–Coach Eu; Throck Daddy Thursday; JT Moore; Classic afterparty–HC 2014; "That's not the door"; "Where are my keys?"; New packet day; "WHAT'S MY DISPLACEMENT??"; Witch Trial; BUMC Churchball champions; "No puedes estudiar"; Tangelos; "Cinco claro"; Boyd references; Junior year FCA retreat; Diggem; Goofy Gaw; Mississippi St. with Grant and Alex; Glow Galaxy; Alex fails the Kobe; Neff's duck walk; Buckle, TN; Adam's UVA visit; Red Snapper; Ashland City; Black Annie; Tom Gambill; Crimson Chin; "This Mumford and Sons song will set you free" – Todd Prevost; "XBOX, I love you man"; Bear Grylls; "See you Saturday, Mr. McIlroy"; UT vs. Florida at KP's; Timothy Beef Wellington; "To die, to sleep"; McCallie Hammer/Baylor Pipe; "Dr. Dickens, I found Cepheus!!"; JScow gets blackmailed; What are the odds?; Mother of God; TagPro ban; All-sophomore party; Post-game Waffle House with Peaches and Mrs. Mona; James doesn't know Scow

A sincere thank-you:

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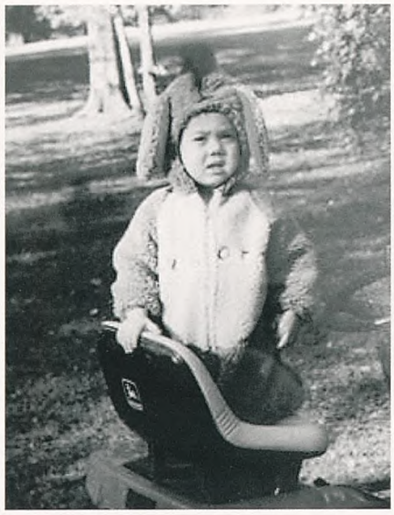
"Consider it pure joy, my brothers, whenever you face trials of many kinds, because you know that the testing of your faith develops perseverance."

– James 1:2-4

Max Turner



9th grade: Truck Pool, Latin: SHUUUSH; Prison Rules Soccer; White Longbed Chevrolet; Crew Trips; I Got's To Go To The Bathroom; Hockey; Mcginn's Bathtub; Magic tricks in math class; Westminster Ski Trip; Shumacher's Totalitarian Regime; Second Wind; Overhearing parents lectures to Sam

10th grade: Trying to bribe Mr. Reynolds; Pre-English Sports; Dropping Art; Mr. Kelley's Class; Coach Moran; Oh Sam; Foam Pit Sleepover; Tarzan; Synagogue Mud Hole; Shotgun Club; Putting Stuff in Will's Car; Good Times Great Dudes; Roof Party's; Trac II; Shasta; Horn Blasters; Broken beaker in exam review

11th Grade: Dr. Dicken's Class; 8th period study hall; Game Cube in the dungeon; IS THAT MR. LAZENBY; Lean Forward In Your Foxhole; 25; Tony Romo; Church Ball Humiliation; Dove Hunt; Kivu; Man Night; Toilet Wars; 2 Lunkers; Talladega: Dale Baby; Delta Duck Hunt; Whats your favorite category; Triton Boats: JV Flyers Girls; Arguing with Mr. Lundgren

12th Grade: Maintenance; Camping in Telluride; Moab; Barn Dance; Double Enos are the best; BOAZZZ; Hot Rod, Have you met a redhead yet; Close ups of Mcginn; FCA; Out kicking my coverage; Scott's; God You're Good; I Disagree Liz; Dove Hunt round 2; FIR SURE DUDE; Truck problems after visiting Oxford; Sam, how did you get in that window?; Mom, you said I could go; Dead & Company; Pre-game breakfast; Terry the squirrel; I zipped it up, so we can go; KP and the Owl: a love story; "It'll all buff out"

Big thanks to Mr. Kelly and Dr. Dickens for making class fun and expanding teaching beyond academics.

Mr. Norton, thanks for all the great times and pushups in advisory, without you I don't know if I'll ever get a haircut.

Thanks to the entire class of 2016 for making my time at MBA enjoyable. through good times and bad, y'all made it all worth while.

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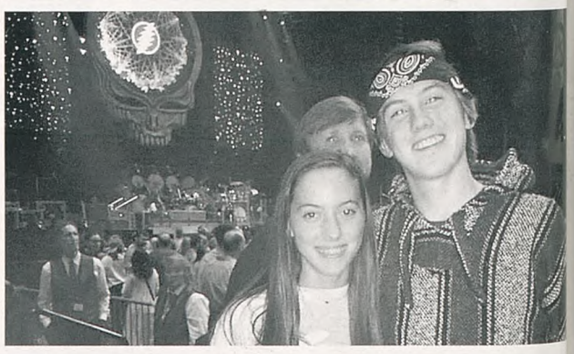
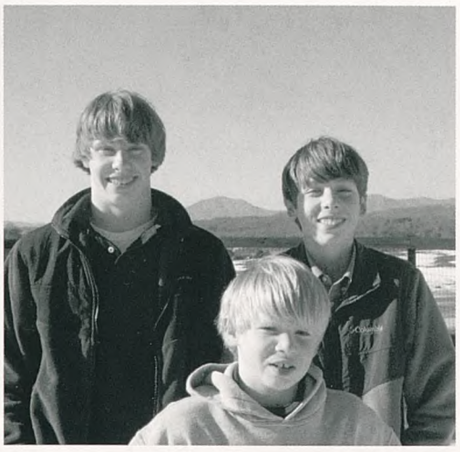
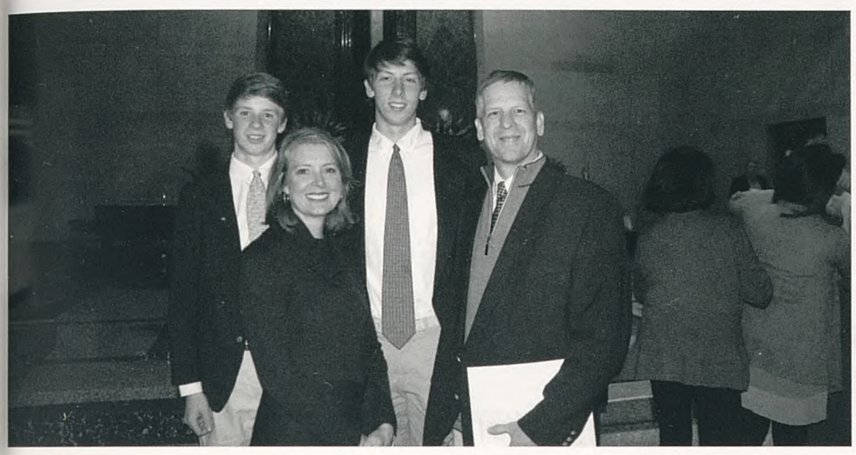
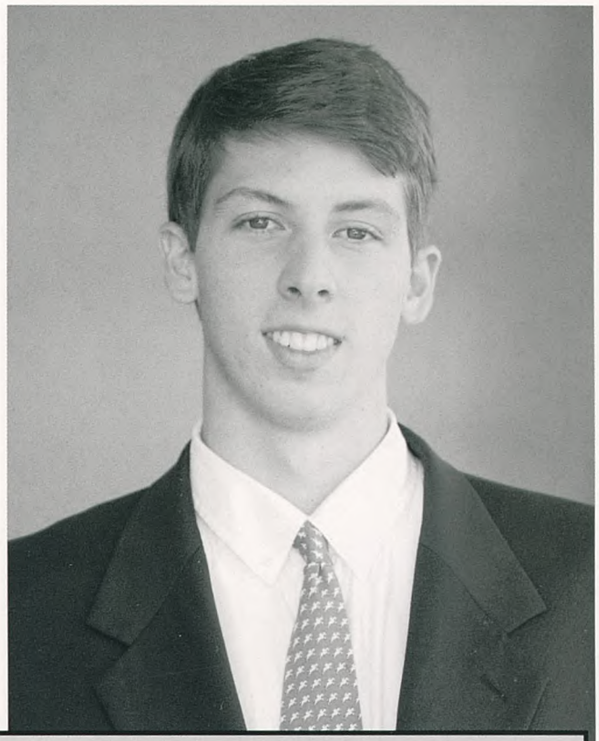








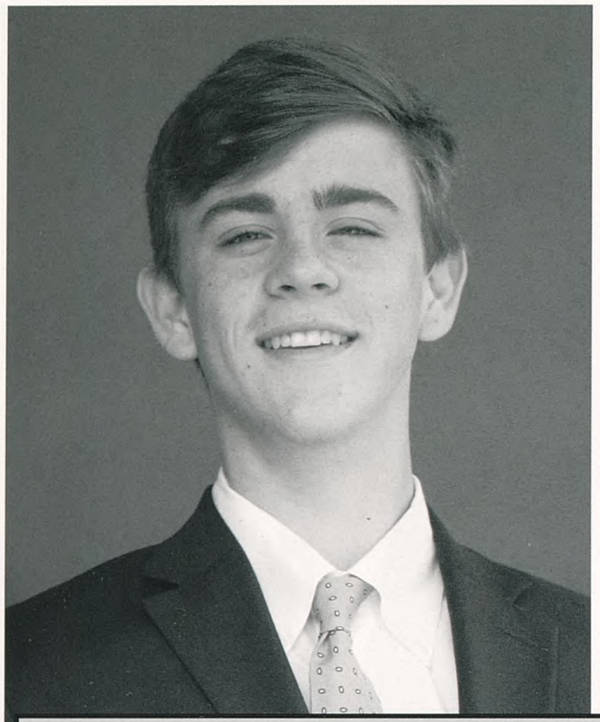
Alec Vest

Wilson Language Immersion Grant 2013 - Vermont; Wilson Language Travel Grant 2014 - Germany; Warner Travel Grant - England; German Club President; Cross Country 7th-10th; Wrestling 8th-9th; Lacrosse 7th-9th; Crew 11th-12th - Novice of the Year Fall 2014 - Most Valuable Oarsman Spring 2015

Herr Dougherty + the German crew, braindead Bronson, Brandon's sneeze, going to the river at Davis's, Flammable boxers, fireworks, The satanic cat, Spring Break Freshman year, Spring Break Sophomore year, Sophomore Chemistry with Larry, Thursday night Starbucks pack ses, The mall, Coach Sherlamb, 6 seat in the Varsity 8, Naomi McNolan, Golfing Percy Warner, 2nd period study hall crew Junior year, Buck Vesta Chuck Westa, Stairwell talks, Seniora Grace's class, stealing Davis's tires, Hillbilly's Truckstop, running cross country with Brandon, Atlanta Trip & Toasty Man, The 6-foot monkey from King's Island, the intervention that'll never happen, Waffle House, "Kinda hot", Snow Days, Napples Florida with Hilburn, Matt Hopp's megaphone, Chipotle Thursday, fuzzy bunny, Germany with Boyd and Dougherty, waxon waxoff, painting up, chicken patty day, "You broke Chemistry", The Big Red family, RR.

The greatness that is MBA derives from the people within. MBA is the amazing teachers, coaches, staff, and friends that work tirelessly to help its students. I would not become the man I am today with out such great people in my life. I want to thank my parents for sacrificing so much to get my brothers and me through high school, my brothers for always being there for me no matter what, and all my friends for making every day unique and enjoyable. I also want to thank Herr Dougherty for writing two reference letters for me, taking me to Germany, and teaching me for three years. German was far away the best subject I took at MBA. I want to thank Mr. Pruitt, Dr. T, Mr. Barclay, Dr. Boyd, and Mr. Moxley. Writing cannot do justice to how much I love and appreciate everything that MBA has done for me. I look forward to being able to come back to MBA as an alumnus and see the continuation of excellence being manifested through the halls. Roll Red.

"Two roads diverged in a wood, and I– I took the one less travelled by, and that has made all the difference." - Robert Frost



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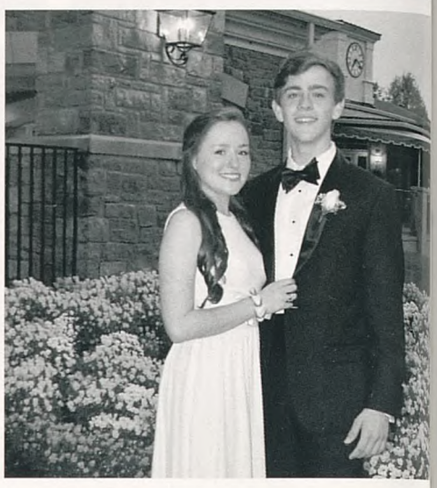


Soccer (9); Crew (9-12); Climbing (11-12); Crew Most Valuable Novice (9); Wilson Language Grant to MMLA (10); Werner Grant to Melbourne, Australia (11)

New Tires; Bronson's high kick; hahaha buck died (9th); "lacrosse practice"; Serpentine Movements; Fiery Underwear; Rowing Scale; "Gotta Regatta"; FISH; "No No"; "Champion(s)"; The Short Bus; Brain-Dead Bronson; Hillbilly's Truck Stop; OINK; Gypsy; Golf in Marro's Class; The River; HIMYM (Gage); The Ingram Farm; The Game Study Hall; Florida Sling-Shot; Barclay's crazy eyes; 56 for 3; Mercedes' Stealth Mode; Hilburn's Coffee County; Homecoming Roulette; "Buck, how did you get in my house?"; Woody the Woodchipper to Joe the Average Car; hahaha Bronson died (11th); Reunions at Pomona; The Crown; My hat collection; Skaff's Daily Roast; Animals in a tree; Fuzzy Bunny; "What would Buck do?"; Keely.; Bad Stroud; Carly's Pool; Bronson's Girls; "Zac gimme my clothes back"; "No it's my wrestling shirt"; "I'm gonna go for another look"; Paco; "Where are my doors?"

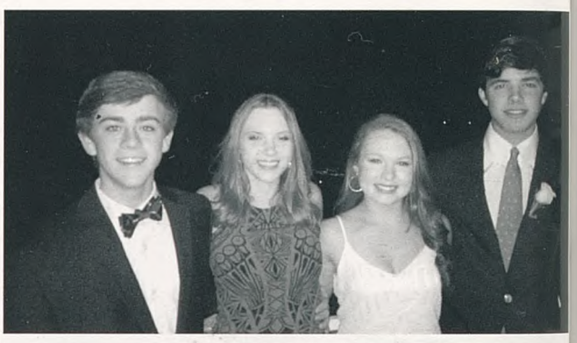
To my friends: thank you for all the laughs and great times we have shared. It would have never been the same without you guys. It's been real these last four years, and I know we'll stay friends for many more.

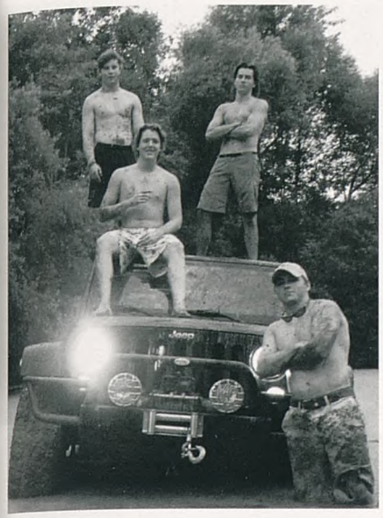
Mom and Dad, I could never thank you enough for everything you have done to support me through the years. Without you two, I would have nothing. I love you more than you two could ever imagine.

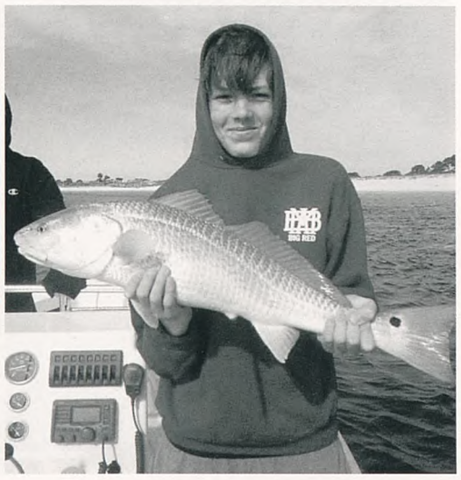
"Do not go gentle into that good night,

Old age should burn and rave at close of day;

Rage, rage against the dying of the light" - Dylan Thomas



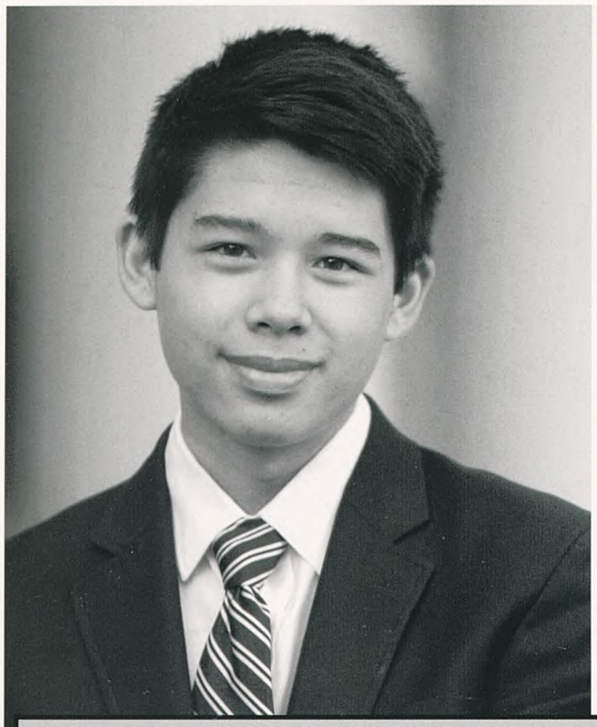




Harrison Wachtler

He only hangs out with seniors; Went through 5 phones in 2 years; River Days. Ashland City. Blind 13/16. Zero ducks in Dyersberg. Got hit by an argo instead. Pong on the ice. Sleeping in the blind. "Nips out for the ducks." Ashland City syndrome. Memorial Day/Labor Day. "Get the yeti." "Our Phones were dead." Head full of hay. Thunderstruck; McGinn farm; Gray's car; Winston Wednesdays. Monday 10:24. Thursday tailgate. First visit to Auburn was rough. "Get outta your mind." night; It's about that time. To Bell and Back. Midnight run. Going bowling. Ireland; pool house; Back to Back; Overtime vs. BA; STATE Baby!! Rollin down Hillsboro. Coach Moran loves me. German 1 and 2 fab five. Got a 3.13 GPA and somehow a 29 ACT.

"Dont cry because its over, smile because it happened." - Dr. Seuss



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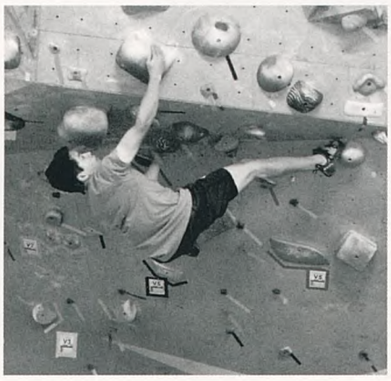

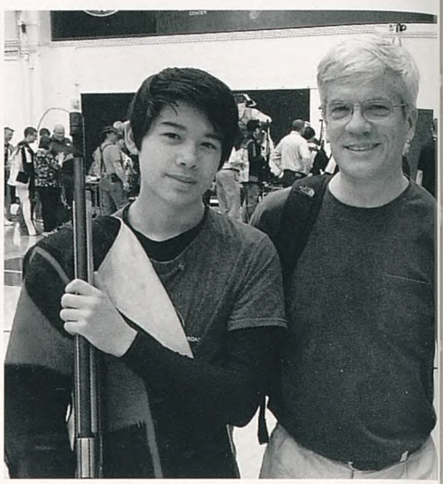

Activities: Rifle(9-12); Climbing(11-12); Disc Golf(11-12), FC Hype(12); CS Club(11-12); Classics Club(12); Art Club(12); Peer Tutoring(12)

Memories/Memes: "I believe in the chain rule"; "Beepers in the Beeper Bag"; "Zach has the torch of learning"; "Dodd Dammit"; "1, 2, 3, BIG RED... (team)"; The recitals of Snoop Dogg with Rishi in Physics C; "IT'S PHEEZICS MAN!"; "Angle Pepe"; "Nadir boost me to Global"; Every Lanier-ism; Dropping 12 in cornhole; "'sir, sir, wait-' 'Wait Richie! Wait!'"; "Absolute Ablative"; Dr. Gaffney's evil duck(May it rest in peace); Gaither's aphorisms; "You're my lucky cricket"; "My name is Zach and I'm a potato"; Super Stickman Golf/Flappy Golf in 7th period study hall; The fire extinguisher on that rifle trip; Getting those 7s in Jackson's Statistics class; The clapping war between Compton and Golenor's class; "I peaked in Freshman year"; Kelly's quizzes - "40 is the new 90 boys"; "Schumacher I'm leaving"; "Zach where's my cookie"; "u scrub"; "wow you must be good"; Junior Olympics in Colorado - "It was pretty worth"; "Big (insert name), the beast from the east"; Suffering through the memorizations(especially Canterbury Tales); Davidson's puzzles; "Protect your bean-patch"; "Lagrange"; "Take out the sulfer"; Coffee Fridays in Marro's AP Chem; IML state(mainly the food); The Walgreens/Smoothie King runs; "Concussion Boy"; SAEVUS; r/mbaphotoshops; Disc Golfing; TJCL; Carter Cup Spectating

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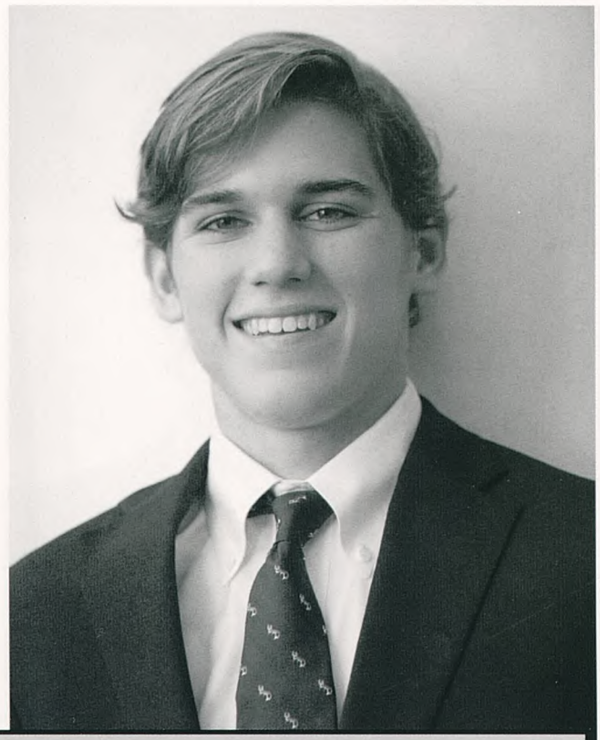
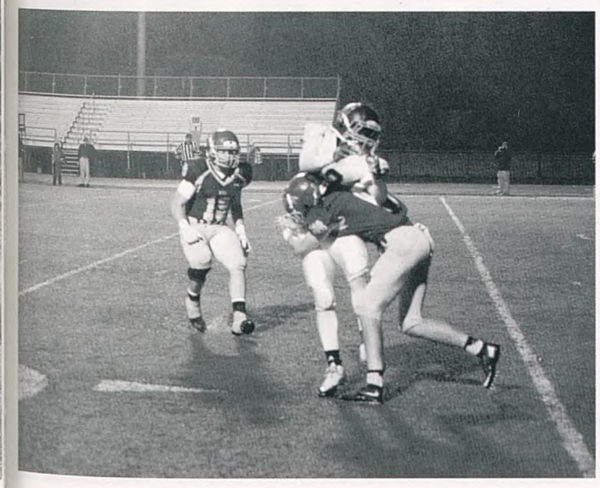
"The truth is rarely pure and never simple."



Charles West



Football (7-12); JV Hockey (9-12); Rowing (8-10); Stock Market Club (11-12); National Latin Exam Gold Medal

Chuck Westa Buck Vesta; stairwell doe; Mr. Hutton's 9th grade english class; Big Red ice pups; Mr. Lester's impossible tests; JT83; Coast to coast like buttered toast; Rack City; Stoicism; App State Bean Patch; Baphoons!; sharp type; Alex Hilburn vs. Travonte; Carter golf; Wilson's basement; fishing at homecoming with Brandon Bennett; King's Island; Ayere Fare; perfect paragraph; grab bag; 78; 60's counterculture; hi(larry)ious - there's a P.Thombs waiting in the sky; chicken wire, physicsss; football state champions; spirit airlines; yung poncho/Gauldin island; FHBC churchball team; back in action; Creon; old sport; see you on Saturday; bets on bowling; top gun; astronomy; McCallie overtime interception; what are the odds; Dbooty; frisbee golf; Emow; free frosty; locker room with Grant; all I do is win; Reese Witherfork; showing up on time to advisory; shoutout to my safeties Mendoza, Mac, Laws, Gordo, and Gauldin and also Coach Gattio

I would like to thank my mom and dad for all the support that you have given to me, making for a great high school experience. Also, thanks to Katherine, Caroline, Momma Gayle, Poppy, Aunt Kellee, Uncle Lee, Alex, and Gray for everything. Thanks to all the football coaches who have helped me develop on and off the field. Thanks to Coach Moran and the rest of the advisory for a great start to my day for the past four years. Finally, a special thanks to Coach Redmond for always pushing me to be my best and helping me grow as a person every day.

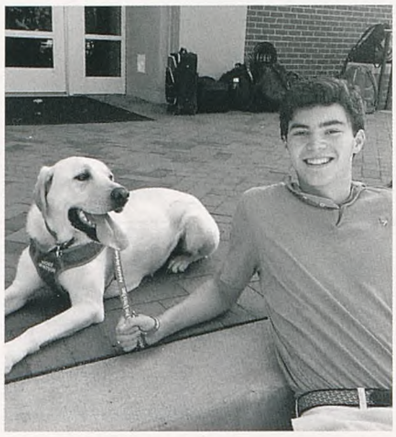
"He falls not badly who rises stronger from the fall"

Seneca

"Someone's sitting in the shade today because someone planted a tree a long time ago."

Warren Buffet

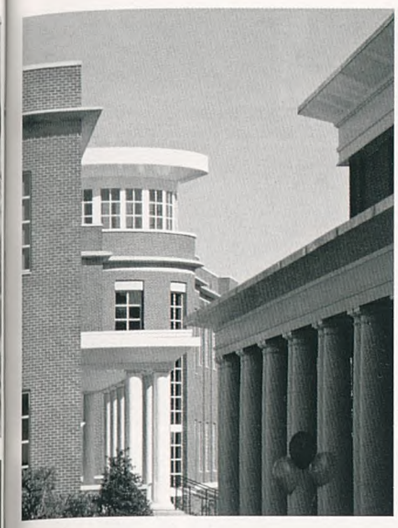
Alec Whitson



Student Council (9-12); Student Body Vice President (12); JV Hockey (10-12); Mock Trial (12); German Club (10-12); Warner Exchange to Sydney Australia(11)

Coach Cooper's 7th grade advisory; Coach Jacques's History Class; playing cops and robbers on the weekend; Dr. Battens 9th grade English class- "You're writing is really faint, Gray."; Stapler KP; "Somebody put a rock on my desk, Dr. West"; ball outside coach Pruitt's room; Joining Jody's advisory; playing hockey but not being able to skate; three great years of German; spending almost every weekend at Russell's farm; 2:30 crew; Weekends at Beasley's and Shmitty's Rock Island places- "Who is irrigating their mouth at 3 in the morning?"; "Why's the floor so wet?"; Graves looks like Einstein; Russell loves Bojangles bathrooms; getting snowed in in Dave's garage; Fieri Night and the subsequent Fieri dodgeball team; Dr. Boyd's History class- "What are you doing!?!"; "Kind of reminds me of the Nazgul."; Junior Prom in Shmitty's basement; "We Ballin? I'm in!"; Exchange to Sydney with Gray, George, and Connor; Hangry Jacks; Docky B's Barbies; Swimming in Bondi with Gray in the freezing cold; Week in Sea Island with Beas and Graves- "That's worth a volleyball game."; Graves's dancing to The Chainsmokers; Senior Homecoming at Werner's lake house; "Get out of your mind!"; Gray ate dog food

I would like to thank my parents for allowing me to attend such an amazing school. MBA has truly changed me from a boy to a man. I would like to thank my teachers for making my high school experience so great. I would especially like to thank Dr. Boyd and Herr Dougherty for pushing me to be the best I could be — Danke Schön. I would also like to thank Jody Johnson for helping me get through high school. Finally, I would like to thank my friends for all the memories that they have left me with. These last six years have been the best of my life so far and I will greatly miss MBA.

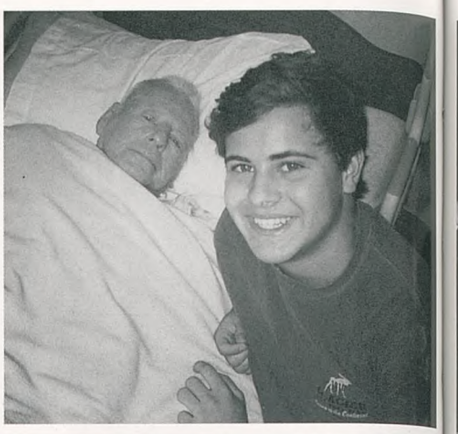


T. Whitton

The Gramar Nazi's of Junior School English; Coach Cooper's write offs and crying microbes; Riding my bike in the snow to demerit hall; O'Neil Advisory Freshman year, Physically abused by the seniors if failed to bring donuts; Rowing Trips with Neil and Grayson; Herr Dougherty's German Class, three years of questionable and dangerous comments; London trip for two years; Connor getting attacked by ISIS, Fabric and XOYO DUDE, "What happens in London stays in London"; Climb Nashville antics, car rides with Ryan Barrick; Ingram Grant, Lionfish and Scuba in Belize; DSC/Satanic Six For Life: Connor, Chris, Matthew, Neil, and Grayson.

Thanks to my parents, my grandparents, my sister, Coach Cooper, Herr Doug, Mr. Herring, Dr. Tarkington, Mr. Morrison and all the members of DSC. Without their help I would not have made it through all these years.

Christian Williams



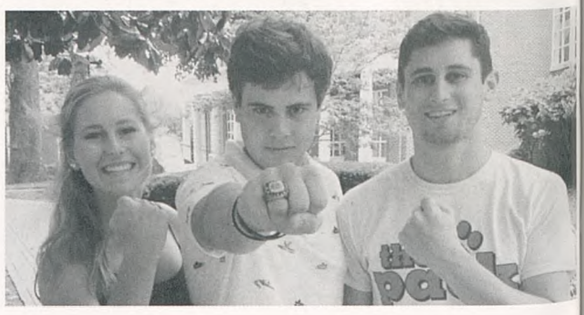
Activities: 3 years varsity soccer; Big Red Club; Little Brother Big Brother Club; Eton College

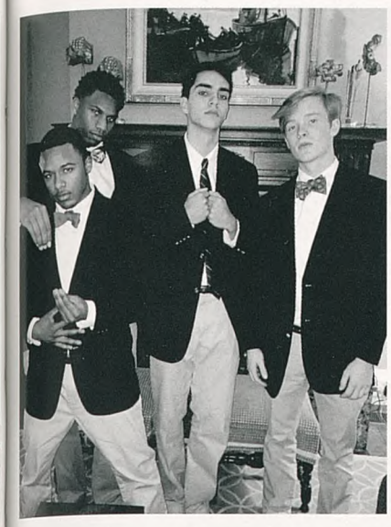
Sarcastically writes senior bio; What are do?; Fighting scarecrows/ bushes; Mrs. Celery; Why is Pompey ugly?; The Aeneid Movie Trailer; Seven....maybe 8; Gaither Aphorisms; Drewsius Maximus Gordonus III; Jopa is savage; Why do you make this big type of noise?; un-com-affordable; toh-tah-toa; POWER QUIH; 7's all day, every day; Hilburn's speakers; South Africa #17; Holmgren's Lab practical's; senior college visits.... Sarcastically of course; play with a pourpouse; heads on it; Fifa tourneys; quigly wiggly; mickey mouse stuff; big time Charlie; 2015 State Champions; Analbelle; Varsity showers; Mcdougals; Satco; Baylor Parents' love for music; no you're right; Top Gun; Coach Jackson's hype corner with Chuck Weston; the 38 day streak; what are the odds?; Puck hit the ref right in the cocounut; is that riiicceee?; Moxley's guide to writing poetry and wooing women; CARRROOOTTTTSSSS; Sparky Flo's hair??; top; I think you're right; Flack has grandchildren?; Safari in 2016; Commander Carr and T still keep in touch; deeez for president; ROLL RED

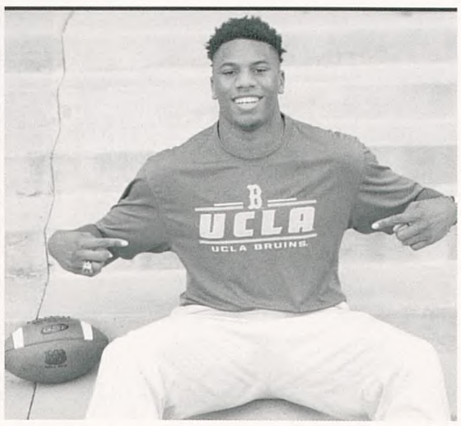
I would like to say thank you to my Mom and Dad for putting up with me through the stress of MBA. Sometimes I wasn't always the best at showing them that I loved them but I hope they see how much they mean to me. You guys have never given up on me even when I gave up on myself. Also, thank you to my grandparents for their continuous involvement and support through all my extracurricular activities. My final shout out goes to Alex Hilburn and Zac Jernigan for our fun road trips to football games and extremely meaningful college visits.

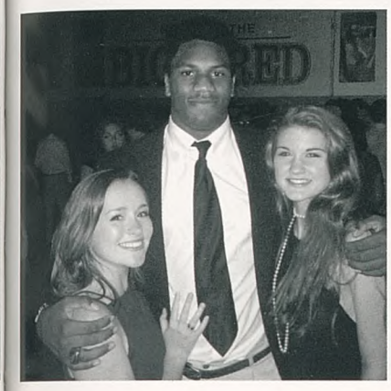
"Too great a plague it is to be a man too handsome."
[Lat., Nimia est miseria nimis pulchrum esse hominem.]
- Titus Maccius Plautus

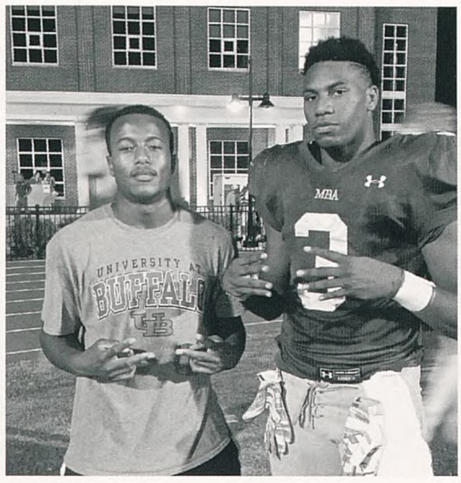
"Just 'cause you pour syrup on something doesn't make it pancakes!"
- Juice



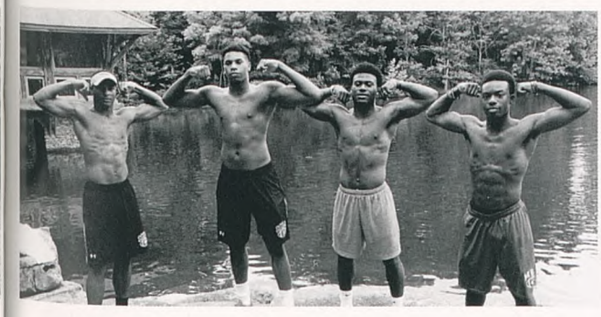








Jordan Wilson

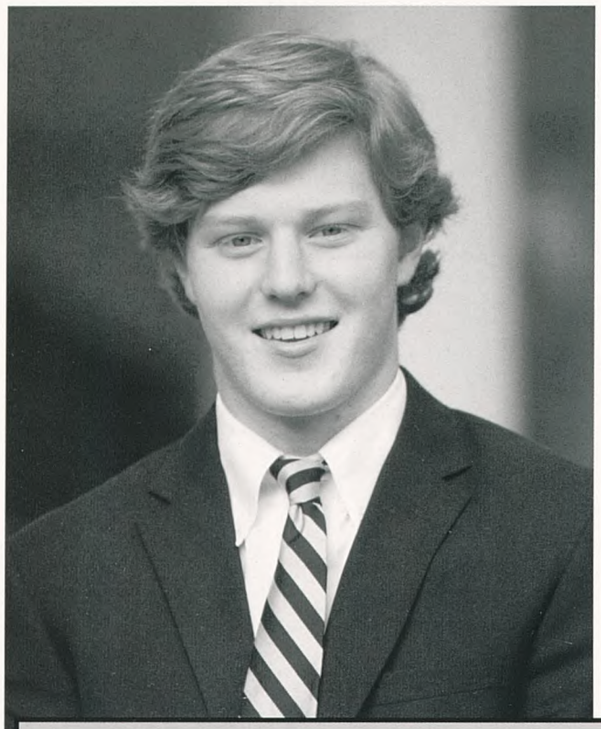


Dominican Republic for Spring Break 2 years in a row; treasurer of the Asian Cultural Club; lead a MLK service project freshman year; most improved speaker at MMLA Immersion program in Pomona, CA; ranked 15th player in TN for football; all-tournament team for Sonic Shootout in basketball; Team 116 State Champion; Lead MBA silver medalist.

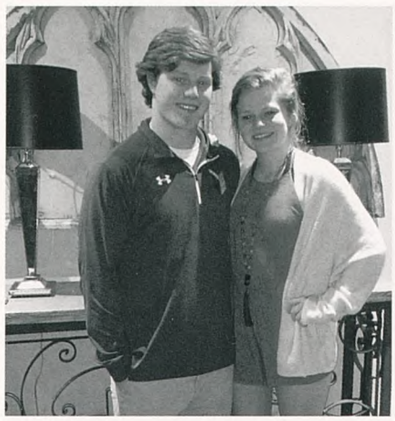
7th grade study hall; 7th grade advisory; Gillespie IPS class; getting Mrs. Roberts Diet coke; Bob Garstin; Derrick Tucker; Canaan Owens; Adrian Roper; ATL trip; put the top back on; Gaither freshman year; Stephen sales; SYLO; No lights; lunch with Bryson, Dj, and Tj; MTSU team camp; Stephen crying on the bus; Trizzle with Murph; Fair night with Jermaine, Ty, Mike; Maine Blackout; State Championship; dunks at Harpeth Hall; HH winter formal; Dr. Young's class; Marcus; post game interviews; Kilimanjaro's; 7v7; Bell Buckle; Hewitt-Trussville; RGC; lunch outside; Maggie Moo's with MB; Halloween night; BT; sunflower seeds during games; Callari's facetimes; Brinkley's facetimes; JC at Bell Buckle; Karlton's barber; Titans game with Gage; Vandy game with Ryan and Austin; Leadership Retreat; sophomore King's Island Trip; UCLA group message; Martin; Ethel and Jermaine; top 10 plays with the Amber Tanner; middle school bakesales; Shone's math class; Chamber Choir.

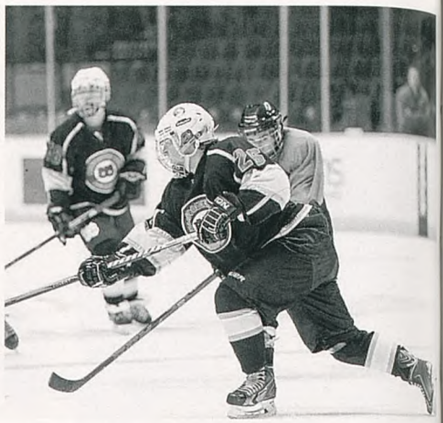
I would like to thank my family, friends, teachers, coaches, and mentors for pushing me to be the best that I can be. Most importantly, I would like to thank God for giving me the opportunity to experience everything that MBA has offered me.

"Don't judge me by my successes, judge me by how many times I fell down and got back up again." - Nelson Mandela



David Wise

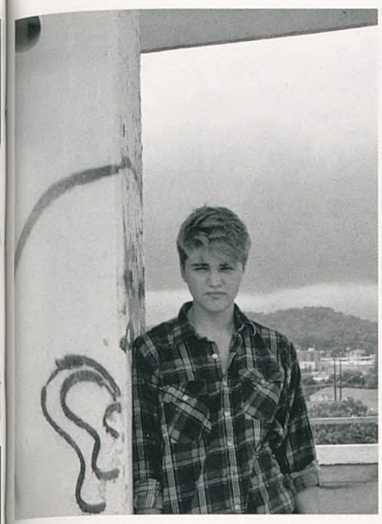


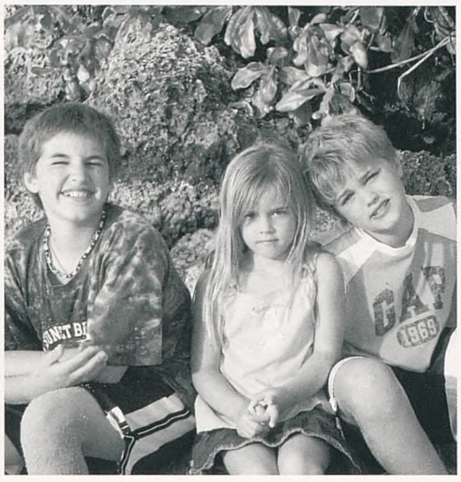


Lacrosse(9-12) Hockey(10-12) Football(9)

"If you think you're going to sleep you're wrong"; "It's monday morning... Ehhh least of my problems"; 2:30 crew; "What are you doing little guy!?"; "Hello, Robert"; "Tuuufts"; Foam night; Satisfaction song; "May I have one whole taco"; "Shillinged"; Hilewa Farm; Life in Color; Lakeview Drive; "Who wears duck boots as business casual"; Eddie; "We just Indiana Jonesed that bridge"; Tennis Court - Flume remix; "I can't even walk"; Rock Island; "Hey John, can I have the pillow?"; Jupiter Island Club; Winter Place, West Virginia; Davis (Hawks Kay); Dega Baby; "You think you're big man?"; "Gettin real brave"; Fang fingers; "Where's the soup ma?"

I would like to thank my parents for supporting me and sending me to MBA. It is an opportunity that not many people get to have, and I will always treasure it. The comradery that MBA creates cannot be created anywhere else. Thank you to all my teachers throughout the years that were always willing to help. A special thanks to Dr. Dickens and Dr. Young for writing my college essays. Also, thank you to all my friends for their support. The good times and memories will never be forgotten.





Jackson Wooten

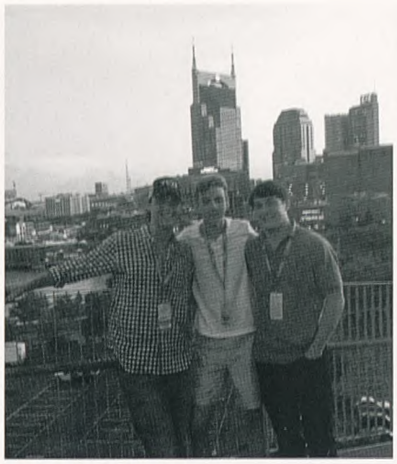
MBA Varsity Elite Bowling Squad Team Captain; "Best Bowler"; Frankie Churchill in Emma! A Pop Musical; OG FC Hype founder; Silver on the National Latin Exam in 8th grade; I got a 92 on a theme once;

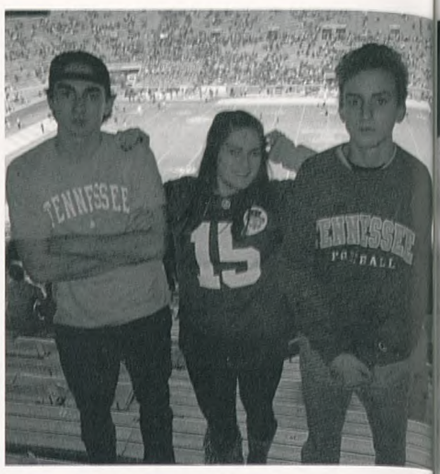
Slowlympics; Track Baseball; Moon College 2020; Coach Z; Time; 4th Dimension?; 5th Dimension???; String Theory; Dem nuggets b cookin'; the boyos; #SAC; Saca la basura; Emma Cleav- Cleav-; Wooten Bond-fires; Liv; devvvvv; DAD?; Rock of the Marn; "Dating in high school is like being on a hamster wheel..."; Grant Decker for Prom Queen; What does Grayson do on the weekends?; I miss Kak; mushrooms; our city; our summer; BROAD TRIP 2014; @chilleo69.

I have so many people to thank for making my life awesome and fun! First and foremost, shout out to all my boyos who keep life interesting even if sometimes they're really messed up and especially to Grant Decker for being there since day one when we were killing the game in Oak Trill 6th grade. Thank you to all the guys on the bowling team and the coaches, Creamer and Sanders, for teaching me a lot about leading, competing, and remembering to chill out and have fun. Thank you to Mr. Kelly and Captain Norton for being my father figures at MBA and inspiring me to make the best of my time here. Thank you to Julianna Dyer for being my reminder to let go sometimes and live in the moment. Thank you to my Dad for supporting me with my music even if we have our disagreements. My biggest thanks goes to the most influential person in my life, my mom of course. My mom has shaped me into the person I am today by teaching me how to love, be compassionate, and stay positive. Thank you, Mom. Also, I don't know where I'd be without my cat, Ninja. He has always been a huge influence on me. Thank you, Ninja.

Peace out, y'all. Keep it real.

Adam Young

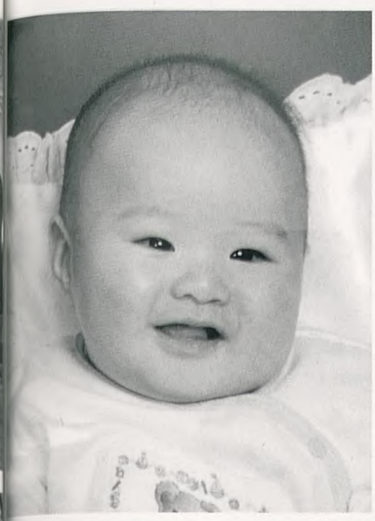




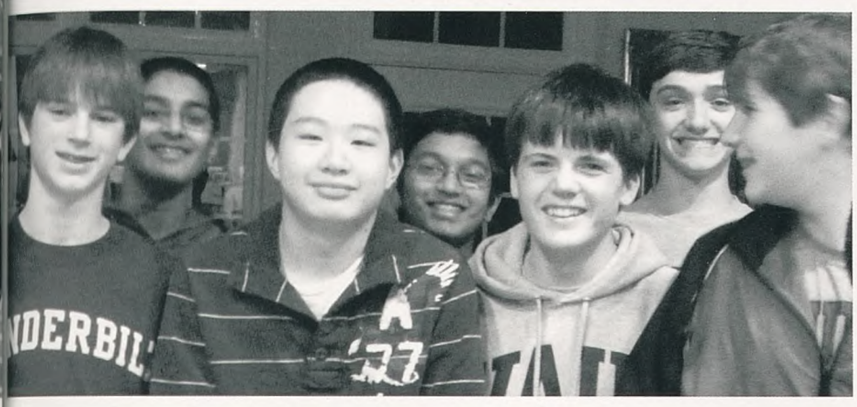
Class President (10-12), Class Treasurer (9), Debate (9-12)

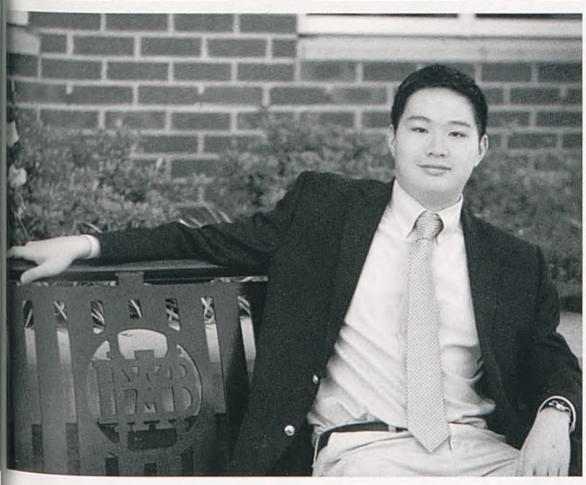
Russell's room; Burning words; Mrs. Qian's Falling Leaves; "Tony, you have the mind of a man, but act like a child;" Football games in the back of the end zone; Garstin and King the night of exams; D. Bish; Dr. Seay's class; JV Golf with BB; Cooper's Lax team; Red Snapper; Dalton owns the Crowe's Nest; "Aaaadaammm;" New Kid from Ktown; Trinity Game; Running into Ensworth game; "Gray is on the floor;" "3rd is 1st" Mock Trial; MMLA; La Naranja at 6 am; "Werner talks a lot;" Never again at Conner Downey's House; New Years at Graham's; THE Ensworth Avenue All Sports Camp; CMA Fest with Pat; Carson's house; Chase's house; Sonic/Chick fil a Runs; Jar Jar Binks; Misa Misa; Pick up basketball games; Beat CPA; High Five a Microbe; "Schmitty;" First Field day; G-money; St. Cecilia Prom; Turkey Bowl; State Championship game vs. Ensworth; Cancun; Ireland; Alma Mater.

I would like to thank my parents for sending me to MBA as a seventh grader. That decision has changed my life in large way for the better. Thank you Dr. Seay for your Latin I class and the guidance you offered to me as a young 8th grader. I would like to thank my brother, sister, my cousins, and my grandparents for y'all's support. Thank you Herr Dougherty for your patience. I would like to thank every teacher that I have had because you have all individually taught me something that will last me a life time, while allowing me to talk your ear off during class. I will never forget this place. Roll Red.



Alvin Zhang





Policy Debate (9-12); Model Un, Mock Trial (10-12); MBA Chamber Choir (12); MBA Sinfonia (9-11); Chess team (9-12); Archives (12); Red Poets Society (10-12); Science Olympiad (11-12); FBLA (10-12)

"AALLVVIIN!!"; Disney songs in Rishi's car; "I'm glad you gave out your own crackers, JB"; Resilience, RA Dickey, the New Dining Hall; BB-gun club; tossing the disc with Disco Dan; advisory hot chocolate; learning about life lessons and Irish slaughterhouses with Mr. Kelly; "it's your day, Tony"; fantasy football; making finals at an 8 th grade swim meet; "its pheesics, mane"; Model UN cramming; having 4 identities; debate workouts; winning the Camp Laney boat race; beating Roswell; D-groups; Mrs. Qian's apple-cake; eating at the State math competitions; coaching debate novi; "chemistry is the science of laziness"; reading Emerson/Thoreau; "Nadir, it looks like you're crying"; Postprandial naps; "it's a good day" in Chinese class

First I'd like to thank my Mom and Dad for the tireless effort they have dedicated to me all my life, and my brother Vincent for being a cool brother and genuinely nice guy. To all my teachers at MBA these past 6 years, thank you for your hard work and your dedication to MBA. Special thanks go to Mr. Moxley and Mr. Kelly, for encouraging me to think outside the classroom and for helping me develop a real passion for literature. Thanks also go to Dr. Marro, for being both my advisor for the past six years and one of the coolest teachers I've ever had.

The last six years on the Hill have been pretty memorable and character-building for me. Despite all the jabs we students make toward school themes like "resilience", I cannot think of anything more resilience-building than writing a theme and studying for two tests at 2am on a Thursday. MBA has taught me many things inside and outside the classroom, and though the journey has been tough and sleep-depraving, I still think I've become a harder worker, a better thinker, and a braver person in the end. It's been an interesting 6 years. Roll Red.

Andy Zhu

Debate (9-12); Mock Trial (10-12); Cross Country/Track (9-10); Swimming (9-10) Envirothon (11-12); Model UN (12); Student Council (10-12), President (12); Cum Laude (11-12); Totomoi (12)

9th: JESS PULLS; "Adabupbabup!"; No music, no life;"; What is a Bieselfish?; lessons with MixMaster RQ; You can caaalll mee Al!; rip visuals; hola vecino.

10th: resilience boiz; Wade spice; when that vicious cycle begins of working so hard you come home and immediately fall asleep only to wake up at 12:00 and despair; –job blue, and ___ on the beach!?.

11th: PHYSICS MAN; urfo is love; how to say: herb?!; that moment when Chase removes 10 references; labs with J-Rich; wait, tennis tryouts?; J-Downs senior leader.

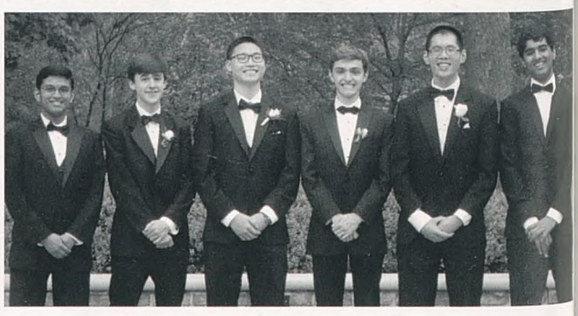
12th; Khat is my brother; "So wait, like, do you even believe? I mean, I think we have a nonbeliever here coach."; the slide is real.

Thank you so much, Mrs. Holmgren, Coach Euverard, Mr. Reynolds, Mrs. Qian, Sra. Lanigan, Dirty Dan Herring himself, Coach Jackson, Mr. Moxley, Sra. Grace, Coach Davidson, Sra. Victoria, Mr. Compton, Dr. Carro for attempting to teach us slow ones some physics, Dr. Boyd for the most informative and exciting history class ever, Sr. Paolicchi por cambiar completamente mi habilidad de hablar, DocM for hype chemistry, Dr. Gaffney for being the best Latin teacher in history, Mrs. Palmore being understanding and helping with my essays, Mrs. Maddux for carrying me through the college admissions process; Coaches Wade and Stewart for dedicating so much time to coach; Mr. Quinn, Mr. Hamrick, and Coach Clark for guiding me through my debate career and always being patient with my abilities, Dr. Fuller for caring about every part of me for four fantastic years and teaching me a few acting skills along the way.

Thank you Mom for always caring despite my problems. Thank you Dad for supporting me unconditionally in everything I do. Thank you Ashley for being the kindest, most thoughtful, and best sister anyone could ask for.

A ti, Laura, por todo. Te amo.

"If there's a heaven out there somewhere, it's a place where we never have to say goodbye."



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Clarke Allen, *University of Southern California*
Will Allen, *Kenyon College*
Yavin Alwis, *Rhodes College*
Samuel Anderson, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Taylor Asher, *Tulane University*
Charlie Bailey, *University of Virginia*
Will Beasley, *University of Mississippi*
Bonson Bell, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Brandon Bennett, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Dani Biegl, *Purdue University*
Will Blaufuss, *University of Dayton*
Alex Boone, *Vanderbilt University*
Werner Bradshaw, *Cornell University*
Ross Bradshaw, *University of Mississippi*
Jack Brandes, *University of Southern California*
Peter Briggs, *Vanderbilt University*
Karlton Bruton, *Western Kentucky University*
Parker Bryan, *University of Mississippi*
Cole Campbell, *Washington University in St. Louis*
Ryan Carpenter, *University of Nevada, Reno*
Davis Cavallo, *Miami University, Oxford*
Luke Cianciolo, *Loyola University Chicago*
Glenn Coleman, *Auburn University*
D'On Coofer, *Rhodes College*
Hudson Coombs, *Mississippi State University*
Cole, Cross, *Pitzer College*
Owen Currey, *Vanderbilt University*
Sam Curry, *Morehouse College*
Robert Dedman, *Washington University in St. Louis*
Corbitt Dicker, *Florence Academy of Art*
Tony Ding, *Massachusetts Institute of Technology*
Rueben Dockery, *Case Western Reserve University*
Benton Dodd, *University of Mississippi*
Connor Downey, *Villanova University*
Nicholas Dreher, *The University of Alabama*
Will Emerson, *Yale University*
Will Eskew, *The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*
Grayson Fettroll, *Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology*
Mark Floyd, *Texas A&M University*
JC Fogg, *University of Tennessee, Martin*
KP Frazier, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Samuel Galanter, *Tulane University*
Phelps Gambill, *Auburn University*
Jim Garrett, *Mars Hill University*
David Gaw, *Texas Christian University*
Drew Gordon, *Northwestern University*
Benjamin Graves, *University of Mississippi*
Conner Gray, *Southern Methodist University*
Arthur Green, *Vanderbilt University*
William Hall, *University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill*
Hunter Hamilton, *Southern Methodist University*
Hayne Hamilton, *Birmingham-Southern College*
Carter Heckle, *Georgia Institute of Technology*
Winston Hewett, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Alex Hilburn, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Brinton Hoover, *Tulane University*
Matthew Hopp, *The University of Texas, Austin*
Conner Huff, *Mississippi State University*
Bronson Ingram, *University of Virginia*
Sam Jacobson, *Rutgers University-New Brunswick*
Zac Jernigan, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Troy Jiang, *Vanderbilt University*
Will Johnson, *Southern Methodist University*
Harrison Kaminsky, *University of Southern California*
John Kelly, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Jack King, *Nashville State Community College*
George Lazenby, *Southern Methodist University*
Grayson Lester, *Tulane University*
Ethan Long, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Carter Lovvorn, *Duke University*
JB Lund, *Lehigh University*
Cameron MacDonald Surman, *Boston University*
Rishi Mallipeddi, *Vanderbilt University*
Chapman Malone, *The University of Texas, Austin*
Michael Mappes, *Case Western Reserve University*
Tanner McCormick, *Miami University, Oxford*
Russell McGinn, *University of Mississippi*
Chase Meluch, *The Ohio State University*
Ethan Mowery, *The University of Georgia*
Wilson Norris, *Centre College*
Connor Oman, *University of Mississippi*
Jamie Payne, *The George Washington University*
Oronde Pendergrass, *Rhodes College*
Brodie Poe, *University of Mississippi*
Matthew Remke, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Samuel Rhodes, *Vanderbilt University*
Neil Richardson, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Wes Richardson, *University of Southern California*
Stephen Richey, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Matthew Robbins, *University of Mississippi*
Jordan Rosdeutscher, *Clemson University*
Devon Rundberg, *James Madison University*
Nadir Saleh, *Rhodes College*
Christopher Saxon, *Spring Hill College*
Richard Scherrer, *University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign*
Joseph Scowden, *Columbia University*
Jay Shackleford, *The Cooper Union- Advancement of Science & Art*
Jackson Siktberg, *Wake Forest University*
Zachary Skaff, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Hunt Smith, *Sewanee: The University of the South*
Sam Smith, *The University of Georgia*
Donovan Sohr, *DePaul University*
Darrius Southwell, *Morehouse College*
Nolan Spear, *Tulane University*
Alex Stevens, *Wake Forest University*
Sam Sullivan, *Texas Christian University*
Carson Talbott, *University of Virginia*
Crom Tidwell, *University of North Carolina at Wilmington*
Diggs Truitt, *University of Mississippi*
Harold Turks, *University of Kentucky*
Mx Turner, *Gap Year*
Jesse Turner, *Vanderbilt University*
Alec Vest, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Davis Voecks, *Auburn University*
Harrison Wachtler, *Auburn University*
Zach Wassynger, *The University of Alabama*
Charles West, *University of Tennessee, Knoxville*
Albrert Whitson, *Southern Methodist University*
T. Whitton, *University of Greenwich*
Christian Williams, *The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*
Jordan Wilson, *University of California, Los Angeles*
David Wise, *Virginia Tech*
Jackosn Wooten, *Belmont University*
Adam Young, *University of Virginia*
Alvin Zhang, *Princeton University*
Andy Zhu, *Vanderbilt University*

Awards Convocation

Acknowledging Accomplishments

After a last minute relocation to the gym due to a downpour of rain and the quick actions of faculty and maintenance alike the evening proceeded without a hitch. The night included awards from each department and special acknowledgment of students for their efforts both inside and outside of the classroom. The evening would not be complete without a fantastic musical performance from the choir. Special awards included Best Boy to D'On Coofer and the art purchase award to Jackson Wooten and Dan Parks. Students receiving travel grants and exchanges were also acknowledged. As the night wrapped up so did the thunder storms to make way for a great graduation ceremony the next night.

MONTGOMERY BELL ACADEMY

HONORS AND AWARDS FOR THE 2015-2016 SCHOOL YEAR
June 1, 2016

THE WALTER ROBINSON MATH AWARD ..... Bill Compton
THE BROWNLEE O. CURREY - EUGENE O. HARRIS, JR. SCHOLARSHIP MEDALS, THE VAN BANKER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS for Outstanding Academic Achievement ..... see inside
THE ROSIE PASCHALL ART PURCHASE AWARD ..... Jackson Wooten, Dan Parks
THE RHODE ISLAND SCHOOL OF DESIGN BOOK AWARD ..... Jay Shackleford
THE JEFFREY BUNTIN ART SCHOLARSHIP AWARD ..... Corbitt Dicker
THE DEBATE AND FORENSICS AWARDS
Debate ..... Adam Young
William Woods Tate, Jr. Forensics ..... Cole Campbell
THE ZAGER DEBATE SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS ..... 9th - Sam Funk, 10th - Ben Jablonski, 11th - Ben Rosenthal
THE JAMES A. POSTON AWARD for Excellence in Theater ..... Tanner McCormick
THE HONOR THESPIAN AWARD ..... Nolan Spear
THE TOM SCHULMAN DRAMATIC WRITING AWARDS ..... 1st - Matt Remke, 2nd - Tanner McCormick, 3rd - Hayne Hamilton
FLOYD FAMILY PERFORMING ARTS AWARD ..... Drew Gordon
THE RASCOE BOND DAVIS AWARDS FOR CREATIVE WRITING
Poetry ..... 1st-Vincent Zhang, 2nd - Tobias Houghton, 3rd - Robert Dedman
Fiction ..... 1st - Collin Ragsdale, 2nd - Joseph Hatcher, 3rd - Jack Carey
THE JACK ZAGER POETRY AWARD ..... John Glover
THE THOMAS H. MALONE, JR. AWARD for Excellence in English Composition ..... Andy Zhu
THE EWING/RANDALL WRITING AWARD ..... Cole Campbell
THE JOHN B. HAYES AWARD for Excellence in the American Constitution ..... Jesse Turner
DAUGHTERS OF FOUNDERS AND PATRIOTS AWARD for Excellence in the study of American History ..... Cole Cross
THE JOHN MOREHEAD DOBSON MEMORIAL AWARD for the Best Sports Article ..... Joseph Scowden
THE PROFESSOR C.B. WALLACE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD ..... Brett Starr
THE HENRY A. FITTS AWARDS FOR JOURNALISM: ..... *The Bell* - Jamie Payne, *The Archives* - Peter Taylor
THE MARSHALL AND VIRGINIA FRAZER AWARD for Excellence in Chemistry ..... Yavin Alwis
THE PREMIER ORTHOPAEDICS BOOK AWARD for Chemistry AP ..... Andy Zhu
THE KIRBY E. AND MARGARET JACKSON AWARD for Excellence in the Natural Sciences ..... Cameron MacDonald Surman
THE TENNESSEE MATH TEACHERS ASSOCIATION AWARD for Outstanding Achievement in Math during High School ..... Tony Ding
THE RENSSELAER MATH AND SCIENCE AWARD for the Outstanding Junior in Math and Science ..... Noah Wamble
THE OUTSTANDING THREE-SPORT ATHLETE AWARD
Freshman ..... William Wheeler
Sophomore ..... Ty Allen
Junior ..... Jake Evans
Senior ..... D'On Coofer

THE GARRETT FULTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD ..... Sam S
THE LINDSEY AWARD for the Outstanding Athlete ..... D'On C
JEFFERSON CUPS
Senior Class President ..... Aden
Student Council President ..... Ast
Honor Council President ..... Wil
Service Club President ..... Ben
THE FRANCIS E. CARTER, JR. AWARDS for Service and Achievement ..... Cole Cross, Owen Carney, Sam Curry, Grant Green, Jesse Turner, Christian W
THE D.A.R. AWARD for Citizenship in the Senior Class ..... Gray A
THE CIVITAN AWARD for Citizenship and Service ..... Chet
THE WIECK BIG RED SPIRIT AWARDS ..... Will Beasley, Jim Garrett, K.P. F
Hunter Hamilton, Alex Hilburn, Parker Bryan, A
THE RUSSELL W. CARPENTER AWARD for Community Service ..... Tre
THE WALLACE LATIN BOOK AWARDS ..... (I) Aidan G
(II) Michael Ambrosius, (III) Jackson Abbey, (AP) Brett Starr, (V) Michael M
THE RANDOLPH COLLEGE CLASSICS BOOK AWARD ..... Zach W
THE ALBERT P. WHITSON MEMORIAL EXCHANGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ..... Joe Moxley, Jack Reineke, Brian T
THE BETH AND DUDLEY WARNER INTERNATIONAL EXCHANGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM ..... Peter Taylor, Jack Carey, Tom Peters, Brett Starr, Wil
Turner Johnson, Cole Thornton, Drew Davis, Warner Lamar, Josh Key, Austin S
Aubrey Greene, Jake Evans, Jack Hayles, Michael Lee, Connor Mulloy, Aiden Fer
John Glover, Andrew Hudson, Addison Smith, Jackson Maradik, Dylan Ell
THE BOWDOIN COLLEGE BOOK AWARD ..... Ben R
THE HARVARD BOOK AWARD ..... Tom
THE PRINCETON BOOK AWARD ..... Wil
THE RHODES COLLEGE BOOK AWARD ..... Thomas Ba
THE SEWANEE BOOK AWARD ..... Ben
THE NASHVILLE VANDERBILT CLUB BOOK AWARD ..... Noah B
THE UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA BOOK AWARD ..... Asher C
THE WASHINGTON AND LEE UNIVERSITY BOOK AWARD ..... John C
THE YALE UNIVERSITY BOOK AWARD ..... Peter
THE VANN WEBB AWARDS ..... Nick Dreher, Phelps C
Chapman Malone, Jackson Siktberg, Aden
THE H. LAIRD SMITH, JR. AWARD for Loyalty to MBA ..... Joseph S
THE PASCHALL AWARDS FOR SPECIAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO MBA
Matt Hopp, J.B. Lund, Wes Richardson, Carson Talbott, Alvin
THE FRANK ANDREWS BOOK AWARD ..... Wil
THE PATRICK HALE AWARDS ..... David Gaw, J.C. Fogg, Carter
Bronson Ingram, Chase Melach, Carter L
THE P.M. ESTES SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS
9th Grade ..... Charlie Buffkin, Jack F
10th Grade ..... Jack Capizzi, Rashad F
11th Grade ..... Joe Moxley, Wil
12th Grade ..... Rueben Dockery, Wil
DEDICATION OF *THE BELL* ..... Steve
THE DONALD ROSS AWARD to the Outstanding Freshman ..... Parker
THE HENRY W. BOYD JR AWARD to the Outstanding Sophomore ..... Jackson M
THE LINDSLEY RUTH AWARD to the Outstanding Junior ..... Asher C
THE GENTLEMAN, SCHOLAR, ATHLETE AWARDS ..... Mark
THE WILLIAM BAILEY MEMORIAL AWARD for Honor, Integrity, and Loyalty in the Senior Class ..... Charlie
THE WILLIAM MARTIN AWARD to the Best All-Around Boy in the School ..... D'On C

1. Mark Floyd accepts his ceremonial check from the Marines. 2. D'On Coofer delivers a firm handshake while receiving the Lindsey Award for outstanding athlete. 3. After dodgning raindrops, Mr. Gioia kicks off the evening in the gym. 4. Christian Williams receives his award from one of the many special presenters. 5. The choir performed beautifully. 6. After a touching tribute Dr. Bailey presented his son, Charlie, with the William Bailey Memorial Award. 7. Mr. Womak presents Rueben Dockery with his award. 8. Sam Sullivan walks away with the Garrett Fulton Memorial Scholarship Award.

AWARDS FOR OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

ENGLISH
- English I ..... Casey Newell
- English I Honors ..... Julian Habermann
- English II ..... Ben Jablonski
- English II Honors ..... Jack Sullivan
- English III ..... Joe McMahan
- English III Honors ..... Tom Peters
- English IV ..... Wilson Norris
- English IV AP ..... Drew Gordon

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

LATIN
- Latin I ..... Aidan Niswender
- Latin II ..... Gibby Gibson
- Latin II Honors ..... Zach Garfinkel
- Latin III ..... Drew Weikert
- Latin III Honors ..... Brady Slinger
- Latin AP: Caesar & Vergil ..... Cole Thornton
- Greek ..... Drew Gordon

CHINESE
- Chinese I ..... Will Evans
- Chinese II ..... Ford Ray
- Chinese II (Honors) ..... Mike Muccioli
- Chinese III (Honors) ..... Vincent Zhang
- Chen Jiamin Award for excellence in the study of Chinese ..... Robert Dedman
- Chinese IV AP ..... Tony Huang

GERMAN
- German I ..... Julian Habermann
- German II ..... Jack Reincke
- German II Honors ..... Centre King
- German III Honors ..... Joe McMahan
- German IV AP ..... Charlie Bailey

FRENCH
- French I ..... Reed Campbell
- French II ..... Jude Hammond
- French II Honors ..... Jack Sullivan
- French III Honors ..... Peter Taylor
- French Language AP ..... Yavin Alwis

SPANISH
- Spanish I ..... Zach Garfinkel
- Spanish II ..... Benner Pollock
- Spanish II Honors ..... Jackson Satz
- Spanish III ..... Jack Hayles
- Spanish III Honors ..... Luke Cianciolo
- Spanish AP Language ..... Will Peters
- Spanish AP Literature ..... Andy Zhu

HISTORY
- Ancient and Medieval ..... Julian Habermann
- Modern Europe and the World ..... Joe Waller
- Modern European History AP ..... Cole Thornton
- World History AP ..... Liam Jameson
- American History ..... Chris Hawkins
- American History AP ..... Tobias Houg

HISTORY (Continued)
- American Government ..... Alec Vest
- American Government AP ..... Andy Zhu
- Comparative Government AP ..... Andy Zhu
- Economics ..... Wilson Norris
- Microeconomics AP ..... Tony Ding
- Macroeconomics AP ..... Matt Hopp
- Senior Seminar, Civil Rights ..... Hudson Coombs
- Senior Seminar, Jazz Age ..... Jackson Wooten

MATHEMATICS
- Geometry ..... Christian Schwartz
- Geometry Honors ..... Jack Rankin
- Algebra II ..... Cal Bryan
- Algebra II Honors ..... Julian Habermann
- College Algebra/Trigonometry ..... Jacob Kovick
- College Algebra/Trigonometry Honors ..... Jack Sullivan
- Calculus ..... Matthew Robbins
- Statistics ..... K.P. Frazier
- AP Computer Science ..... Ben Rosenthal
- AP Statistics ..... Tony Ding
- AP Calculus AB ..... Robert Dedman
- AP Calculus BC ..... Will Peters
- Multivariable Calculus ..... Tony Ding

SCIENCE
- Biology ..... Walt Dobson
- Biology Honors ..... Julian Habermann
- Biology AP ..... Carter Lovvorn
- Environmental Science AP ..... David Gaw
- Chemistry ..... Cal Bryan
- Chemistry Honors ..... Chris Hawkins
- Chemistry AP ..... Tony Ding
- Human Anatomy and Physiology Honors ..... Christian Williams
- Physics ..... Richard White
- Physics AP (1) ..... Jack Hayles
- Physics AP (1&2) ..... Joe McMahan
- Physics AP (2) ..... Chapman Malone
- Physics AP (C) ..... Tom Peters

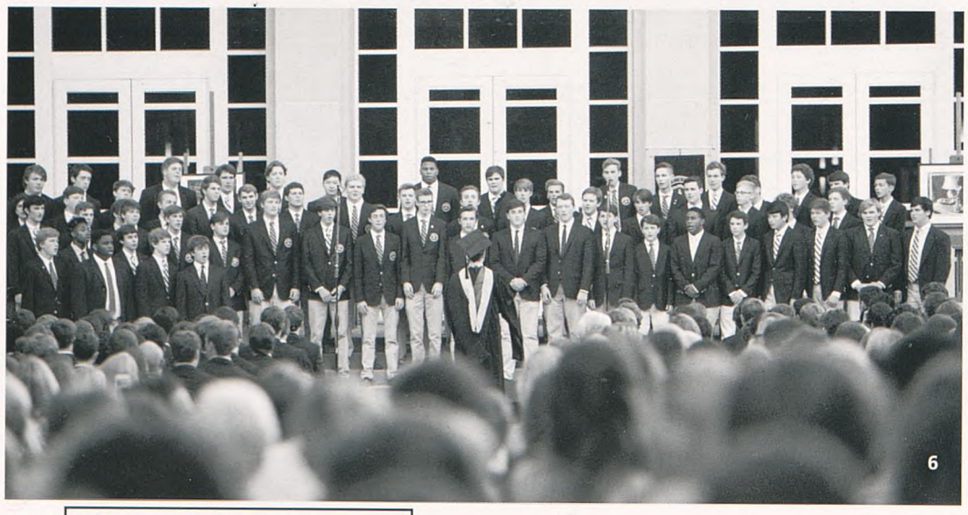
FINE ARTS

MUSIC
- Big Red Chorus ..... Jim Garrett
- Chamber Choir ..... Henry Rhodes
- Sinfonia ..... Ray Lee
- Basie Band ..... Will Grana
- Ellington Band ..... Rueben Dockery
- Music Theory AP ..... Drew Gordon
- Headmaster's Singers ..... Will Gray

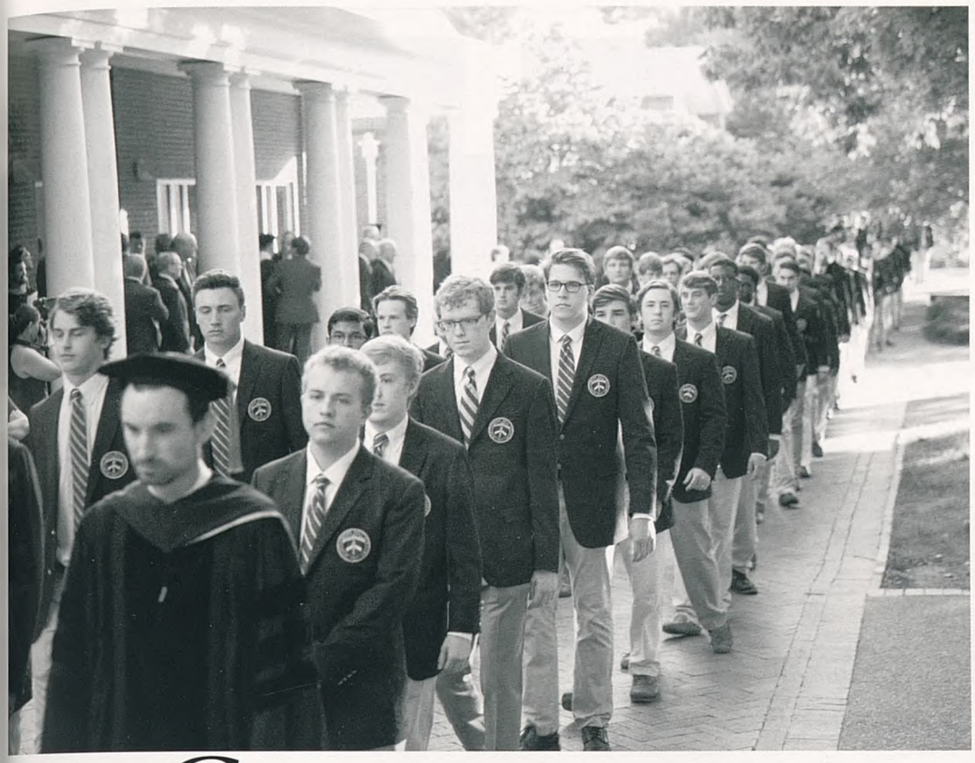
THEATER
- Theater Arts ..... Andy Zhu
- Studio Theater ..... Drew Gordon

VISUAL ART
- Art History AP ..... Charlie Bailey
- Studio Art I ..... Webb Hunt
- Studio Art II ..... Thomas Carr
- Studio Art III ..... Cole Thornton
- Studio Art III AP ..... Jackson Wooten
- Studio Art IV AP ..... Jamie Payne

1. Cole Campbell shakes the hand of Mr. Ingarm before being conferred his diploma. 2. The Class of 2016 stands as they are recognized for finishing their time on The HIll. 3. Connor Oman is ready for the diploma he has worked ever so hard to earn. 4. Salutatorian Alvin Zhang, usually seen as quiet and reserved, gives a powerful speech about the power of friendship and loyalty.



5. Davis Voecks and Alec Vest listen intently to their classmate Tony Ding speak. 6. The Big Red Chorus performs their two songs to finish the evening. 7. Class of 2016 link together as they sing the alma mater, showing their strong bond.



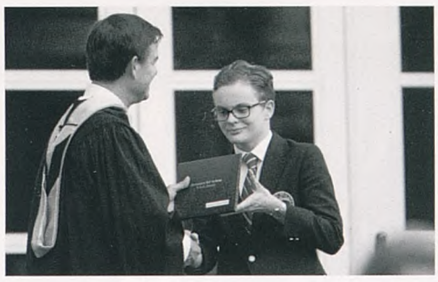
Commencement

An Evening to Remember

After a close rain scare, MBA's 149th graduation ceremony was completed outside in the front quadrangle. Reminiscing on school memories and old friends, the Class of 2016 enjoyed and appreciated their final moments of being students of Montgomery Bell Academy. Tony Ding (Valedictorian) and Alvin Zhang (Salutatorian) gave two marvelous speeches reflecting on their time at MBA and also the love and respect they have for their friends, teachers, and families. They were followed by former Nashville mayor Karl Dean who spoke eloquently about the admiration he has for MBA and the direction of Nashville as a growing city. The evening finished with the choir's annual rendition of Homeland, the alma mater, and the puffing of cigars.

Former Mayor of Nashville Karl Dean addresses the Class of 2016 and the audience. A very influential man for Nashville and a treat for MBA to have as the 2016 commencement speaker.

When the MBA alma mater is sung, it is now a tradition to linking arms to represent to brotherhood and family created at MBA.



Richie Scherrer could not get his eye off the prize as he shakes Mr.Ingram's hand.

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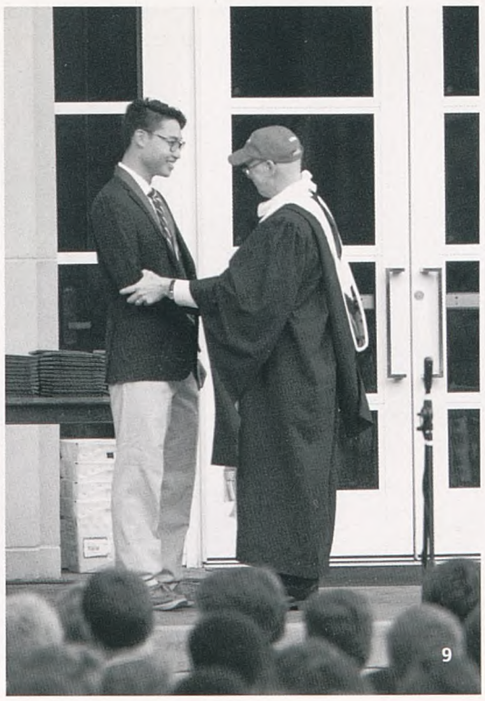

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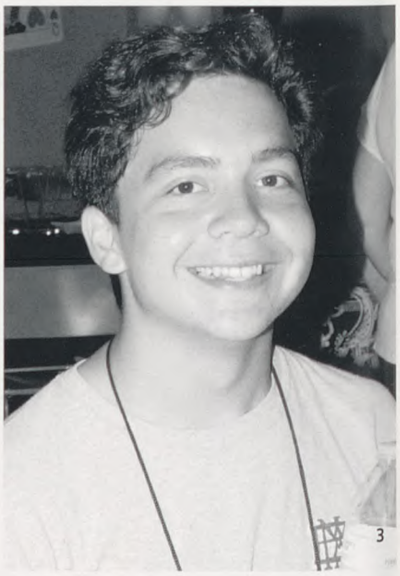
Feature Image. Led by Dr. Boyd, Mr.Shone, and the Bagpipers, The Class of 2016 marches in with their heads held high. 8. Jim Garrett receives his diploma and could not be happier. 9. Valedictorian Tony Ding is granted his medal from Mr. Gioia.

Project Graduation

A Night of Celebration

Every year following Graduation, the senior class participates in an all night celebration known as "Project Graduation." Held at Boostfit, the night was filled with many different activities including casino tables manned by MBA faculty members, swimming, bungee jumping, karaoke, field hockey, and soccer. The game of Lone Survivor returned for this year's celebration. Students take turns removing names of their classmates from a basket until 1 is left and he receives a large prize. Throughout the night prizes were handed out to lucky winners. Also the seniors could exchange their winnings earned at the casino tables for tickets to be put into the drawings of the large prizes. Food and drink, ranging from Chick-fil-A to Dunkin Donuts, were served all throughout the night giving the seniors extra energy to continue late into the night and back into the morning. As the seniors returned to campus in the morning they were greeted by their final cookie break. A large thank you to the parents and teachers that not only made the party happen but made it an enjoyable celebration for the Class of 2016.

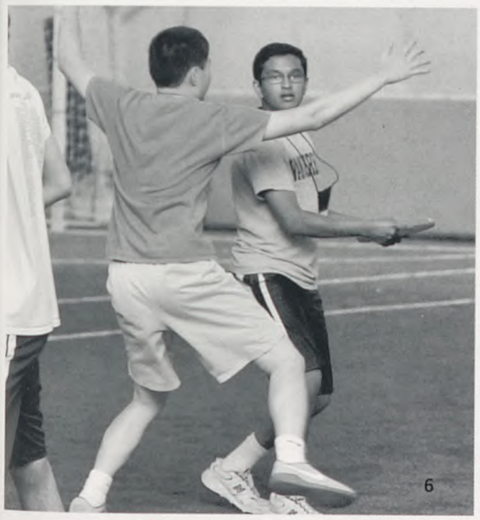


Feature Image. Mr.Norton joins in against the seniors in a game of field hockey. 1. Will Eskew enjoys the bungee jumping. 2. Everyone is learning the rules of roulette and placing their bets. 3. Ethan Mowery shows off those famous pearly whites. Very cute, Emow!

Jack King, Grayson Lester, Stephen Richey, Werner Bradshaw, and Chris Saxon enjoy the final moments of being a senior.

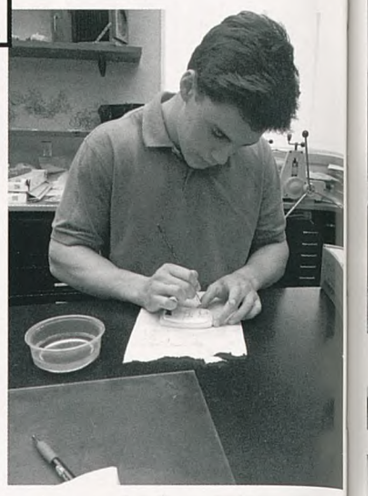
Tanner McCormick and Carter Lovvorn reminisce on the good ole days of MBA.

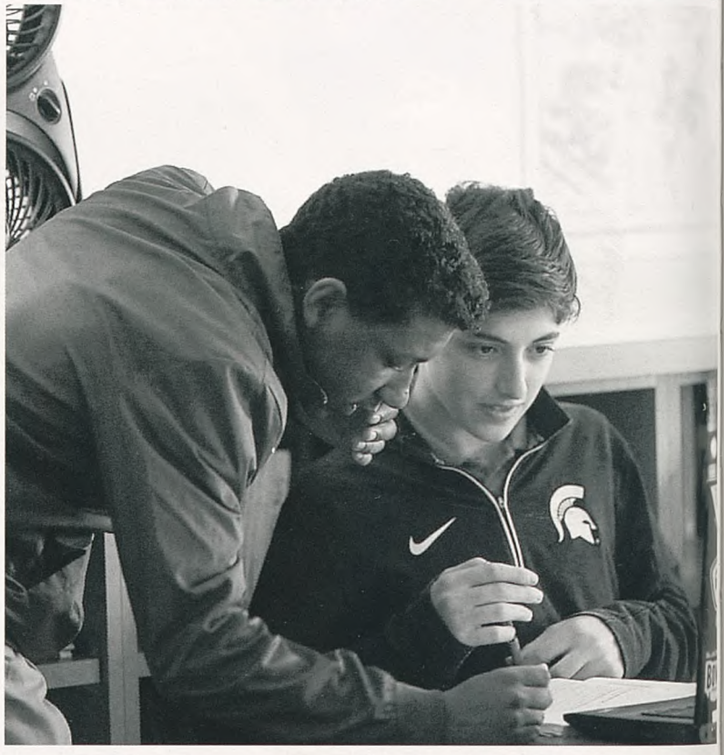
Russell McGinn brings out the big boot for the soccer game. Looking good, Russ!

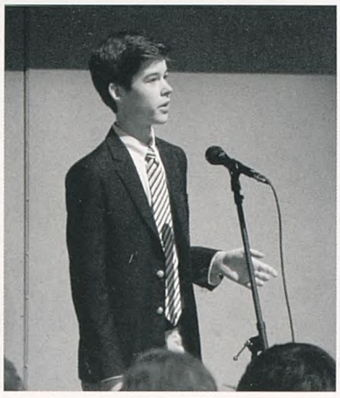


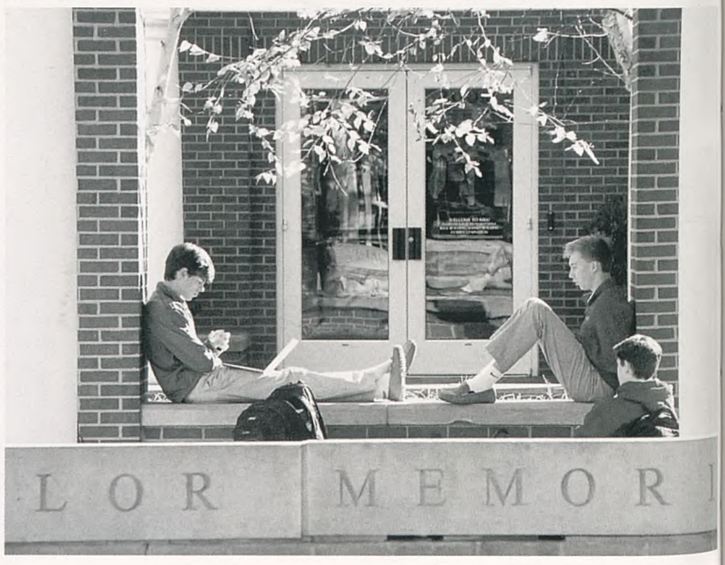
4. A casino would never hire Coach Klausner, he gave away free chips all night! 5. Mr. Pruitt slows down the roulette wheel to reveal the winners. 6. Yavin Alwis puts Alvin Zhang in his place. 7. Ethan Long dances with his mother before the buses leave for Project Graduation. 8. Mr. Pruitt wards off the masses from the roulette wheel. 9. A night to remember.

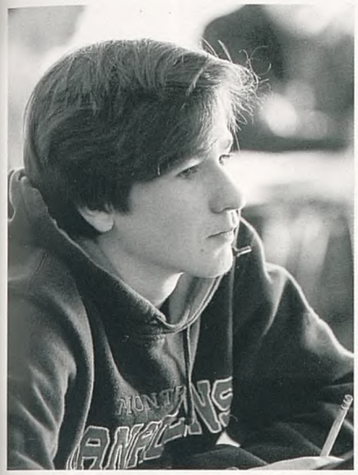
Underclassmen











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Juniors

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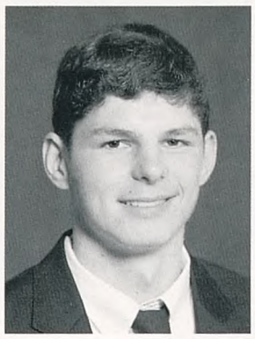
President

Warner Lamar,
Vice-President



Jack Carey,
Secretary

Michael Lee,
Treasurer

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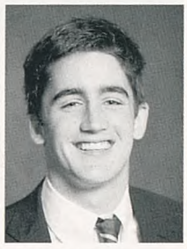
Hayes Alley

Jack Anderson



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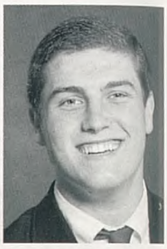
Micah Battle



Jack Benson

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Luke Byrge

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Logan Cashwell

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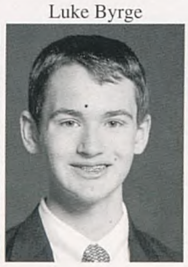

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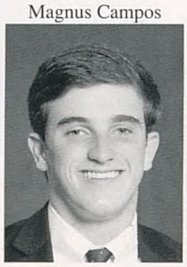
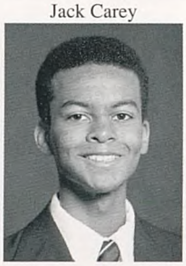


Asher Curnutte



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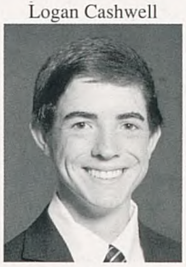

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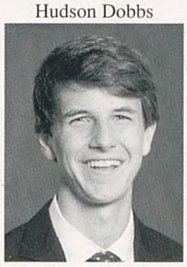

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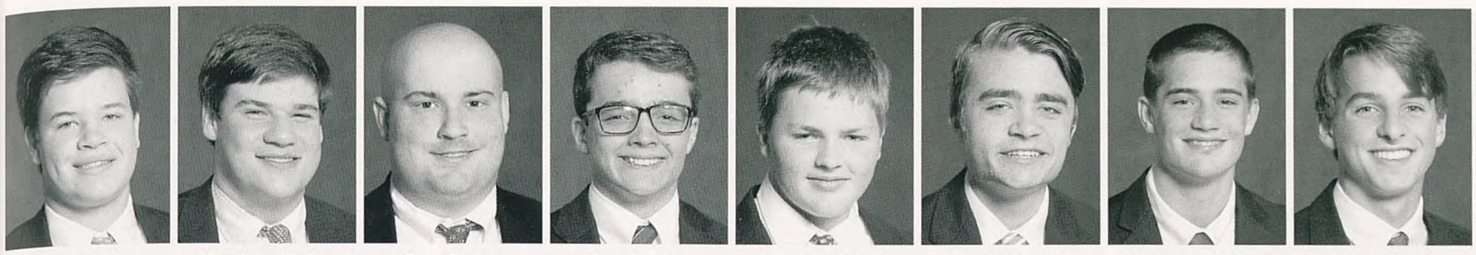

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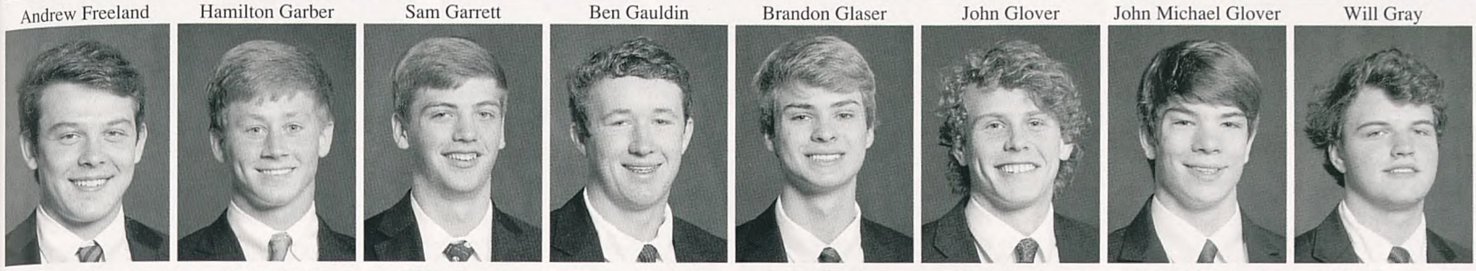

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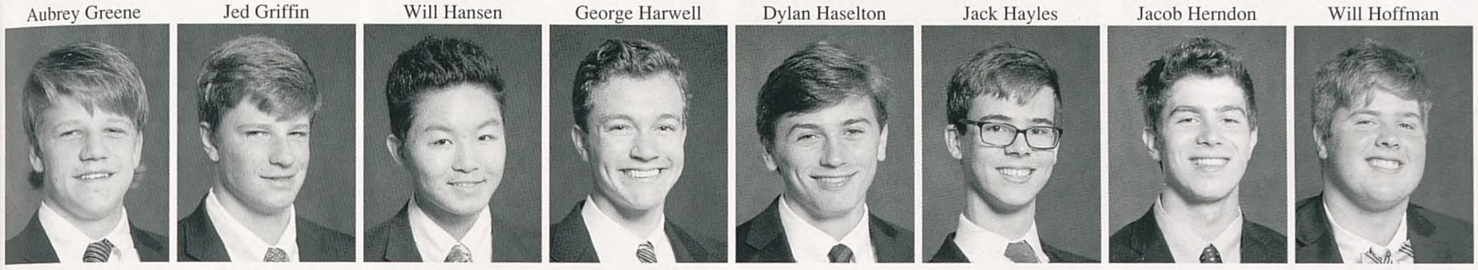

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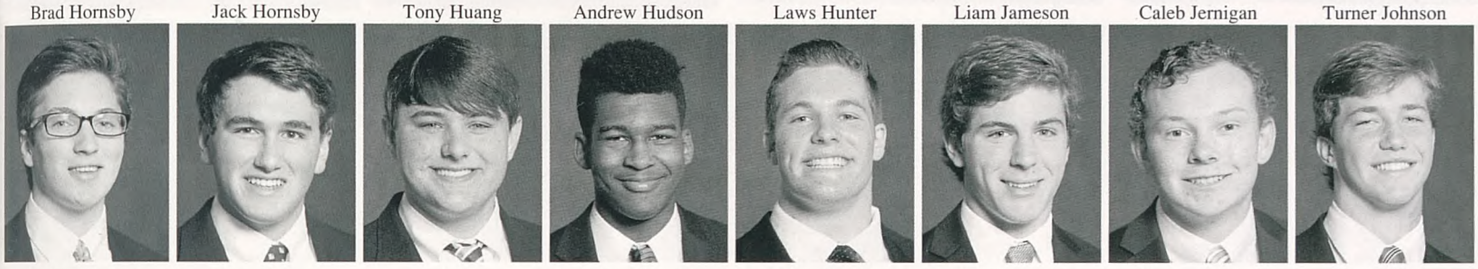

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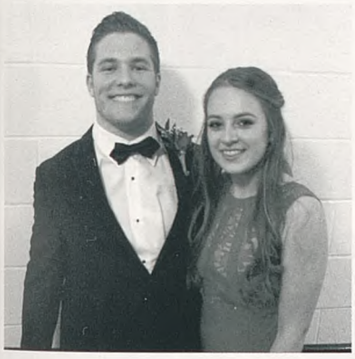

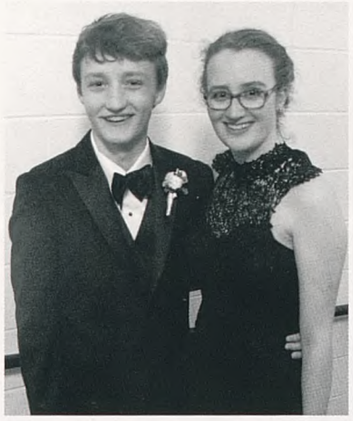

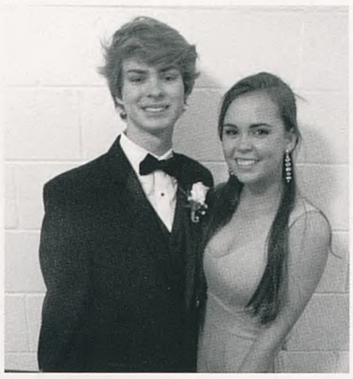

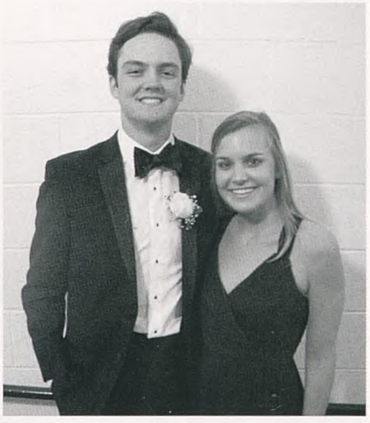

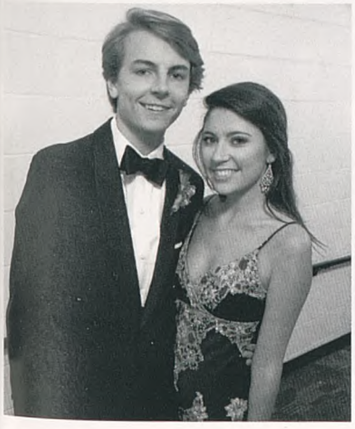

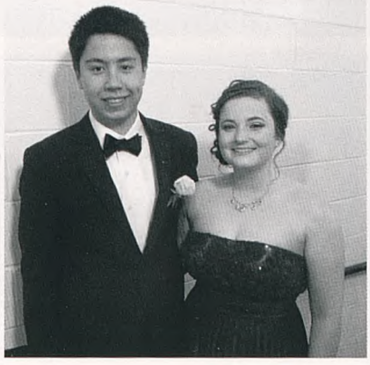

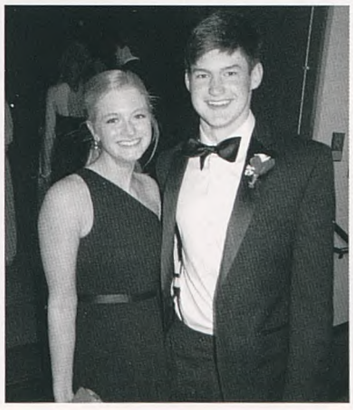

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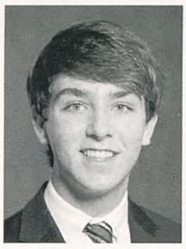
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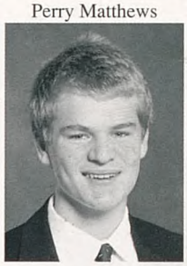
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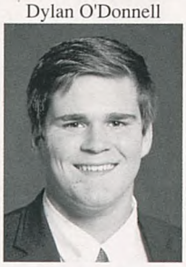
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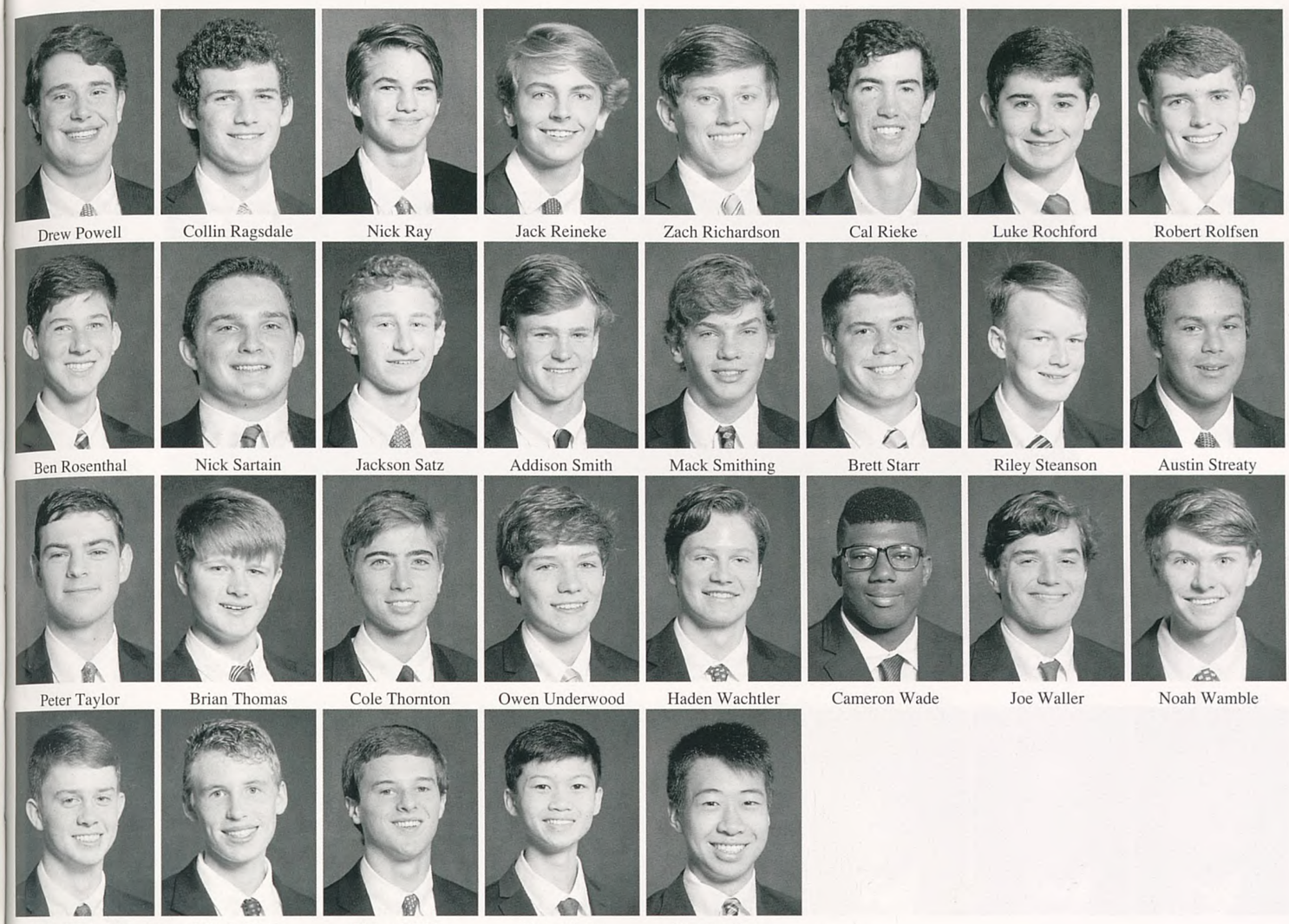

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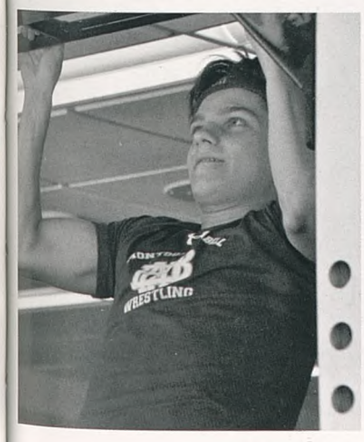

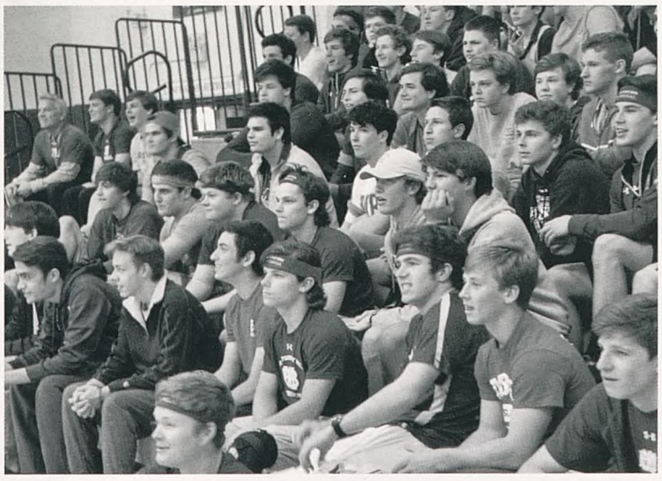

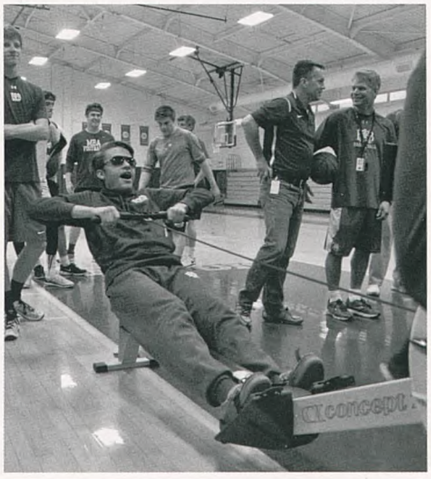

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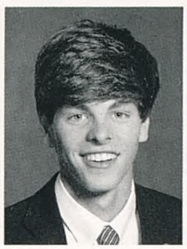

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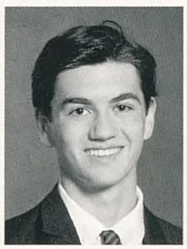

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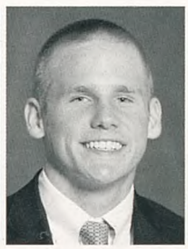

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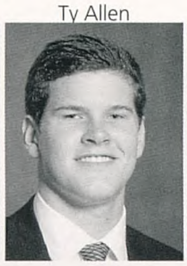

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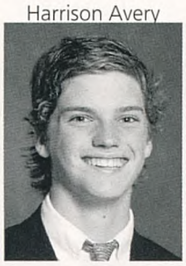

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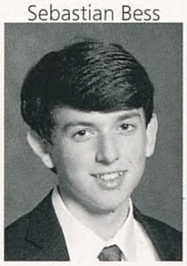

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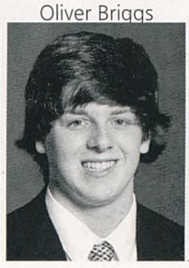

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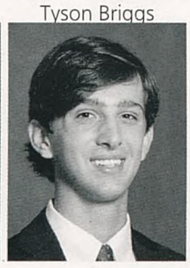

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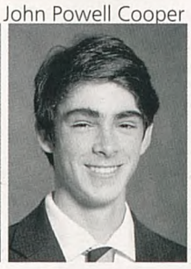

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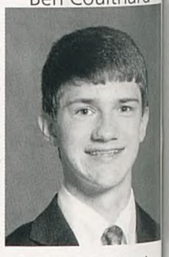

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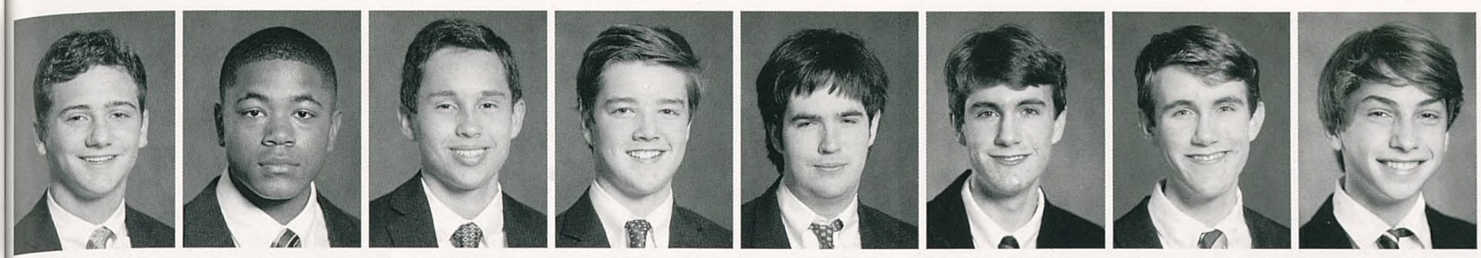

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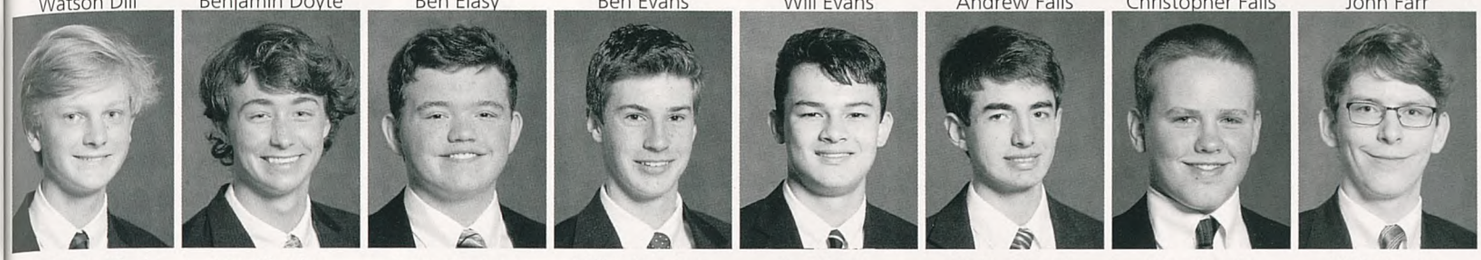

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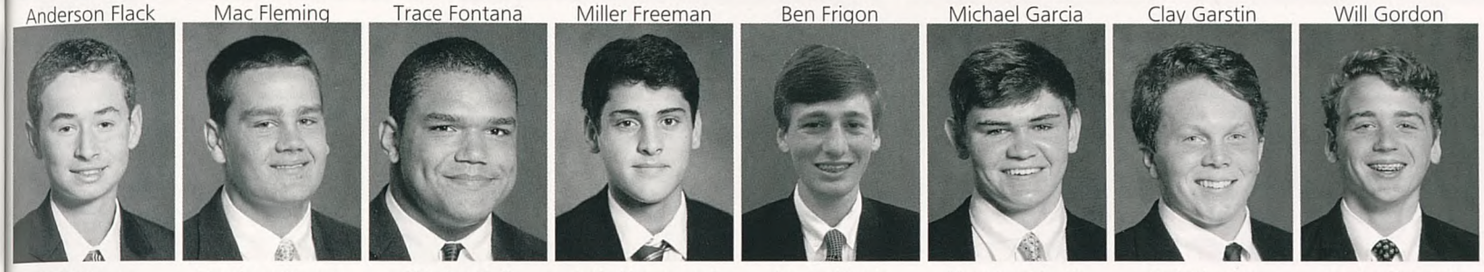

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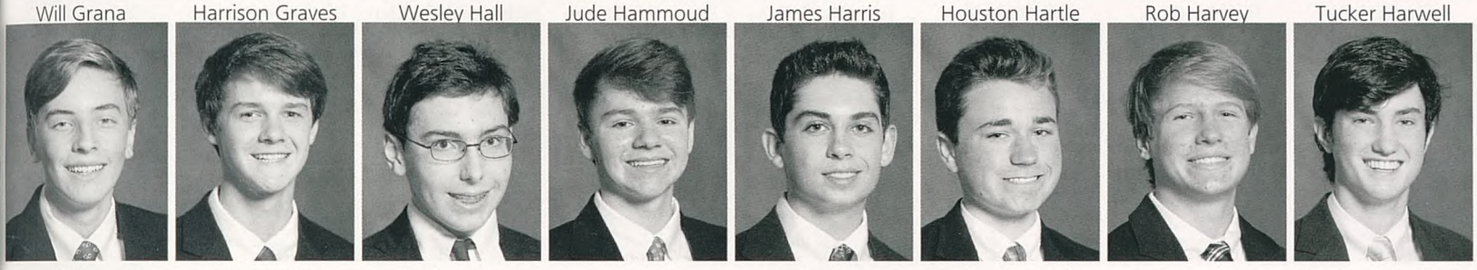

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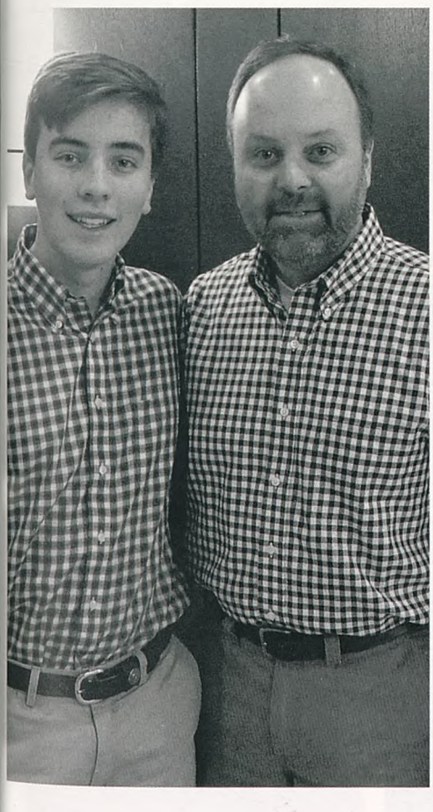

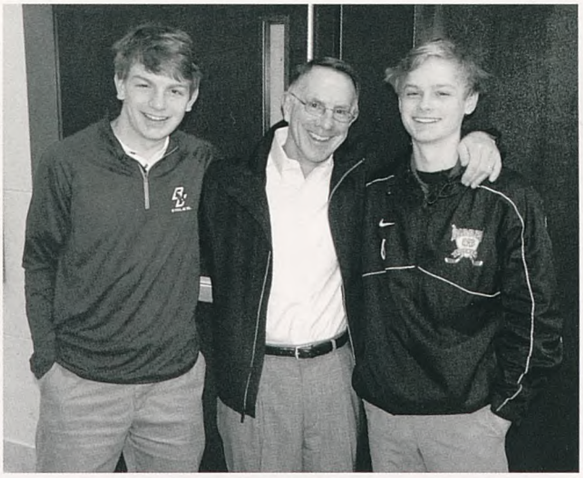

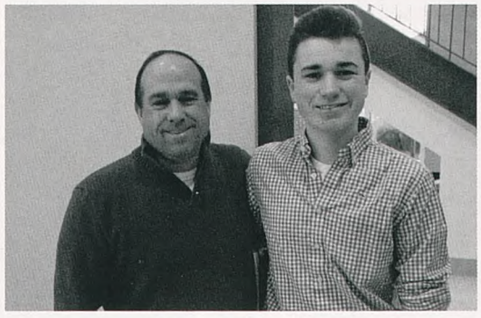

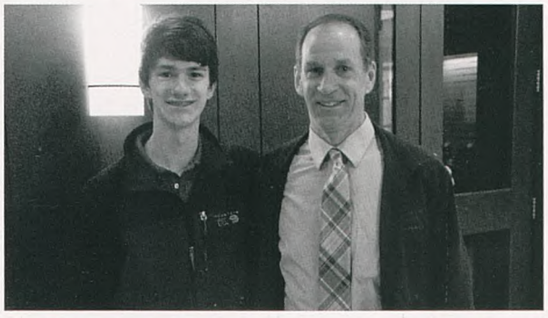

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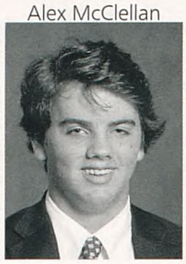
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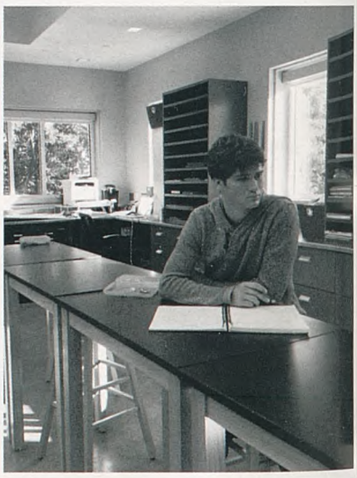

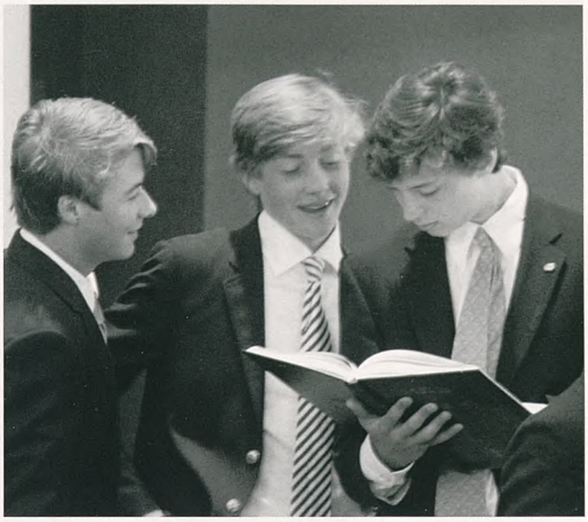

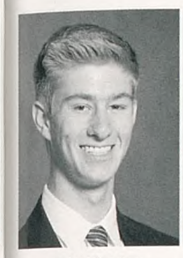
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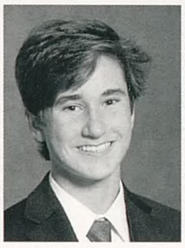
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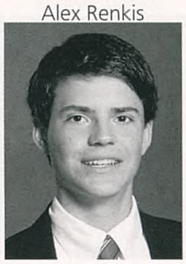
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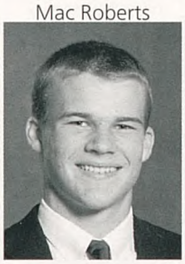
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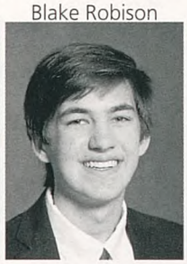
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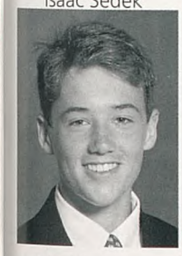
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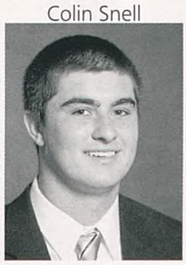
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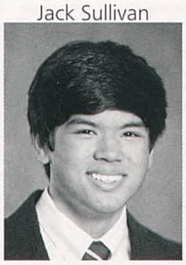
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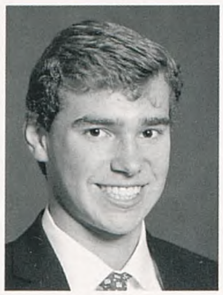

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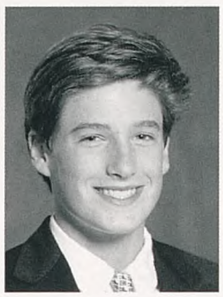

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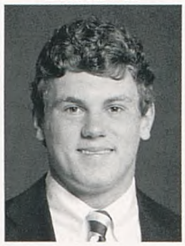

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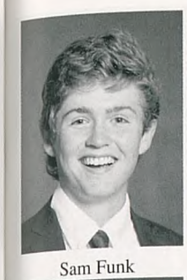
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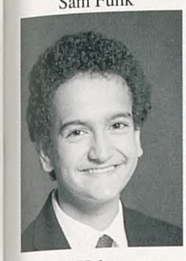
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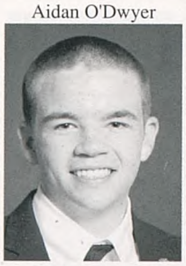
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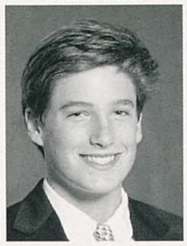
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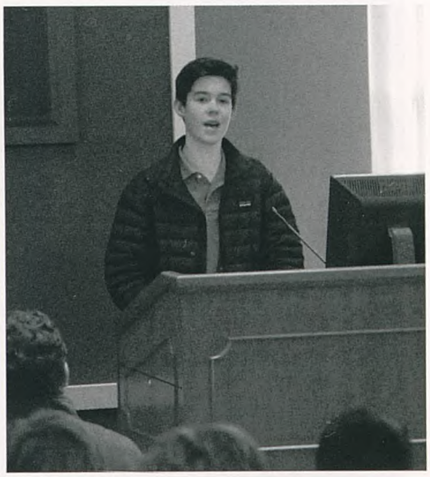

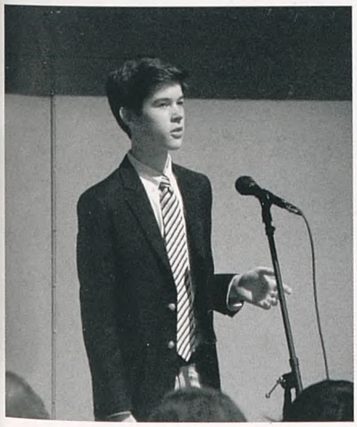

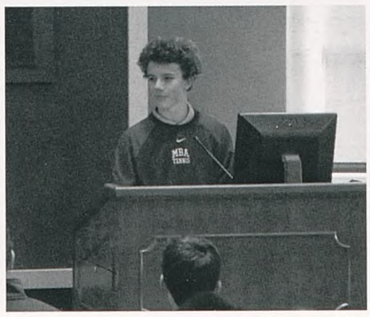

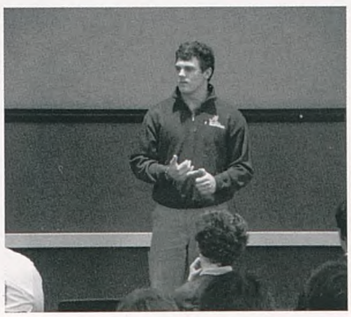

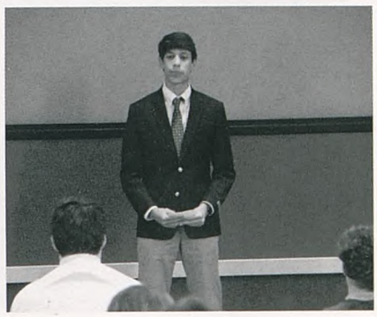

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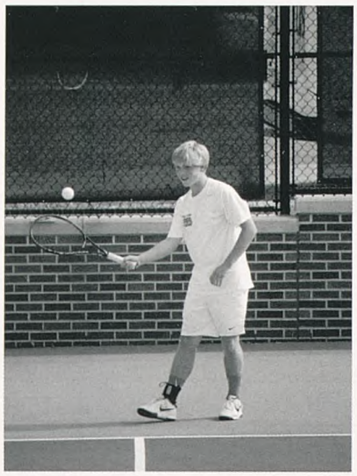

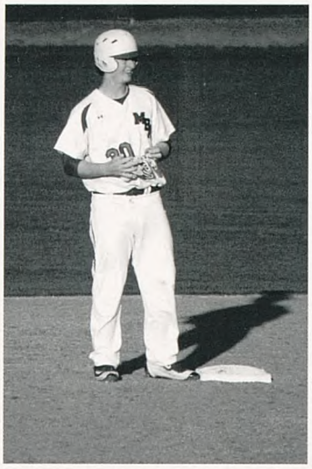

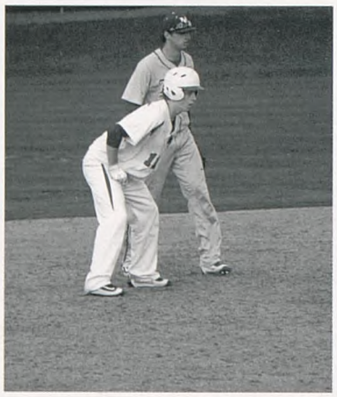

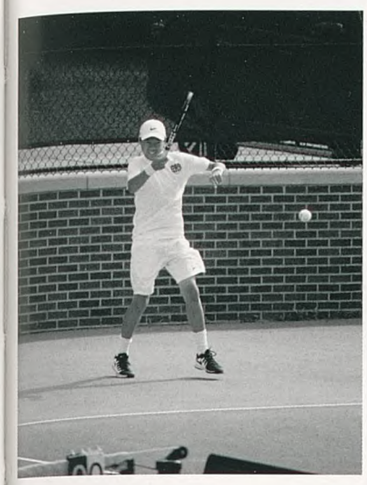

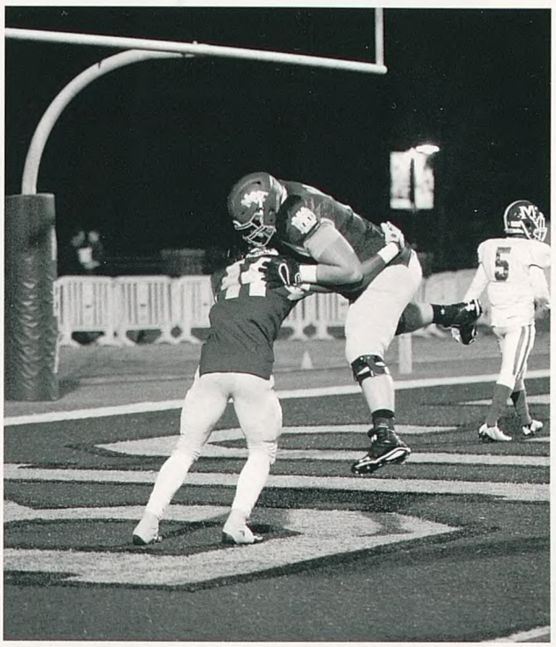

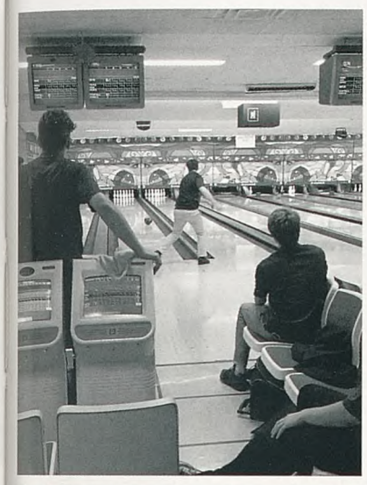

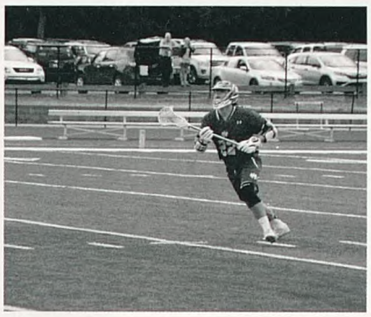

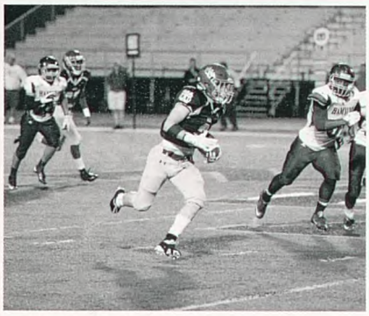

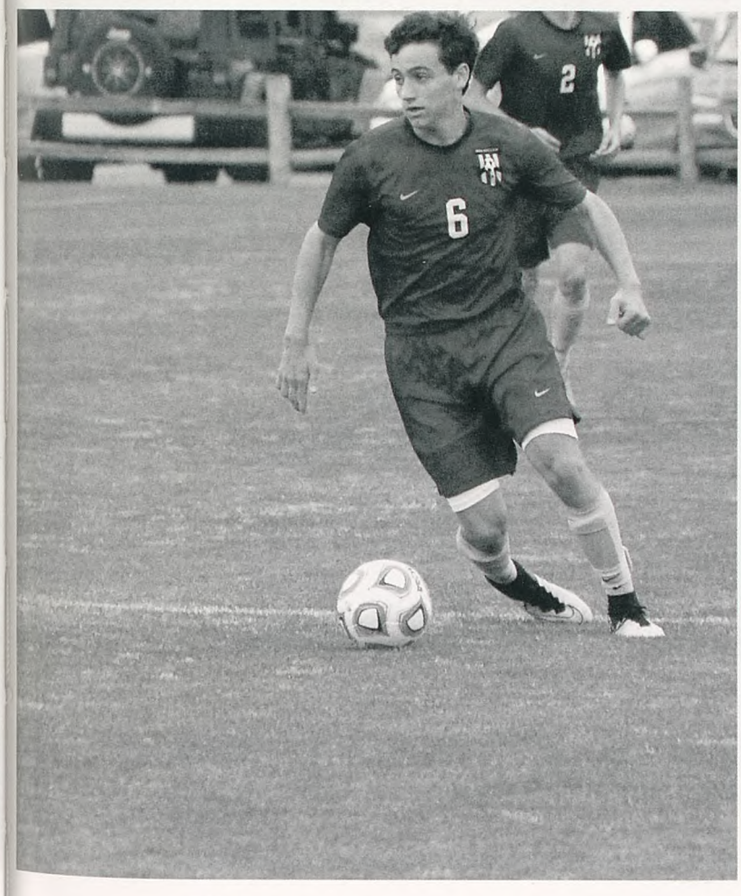

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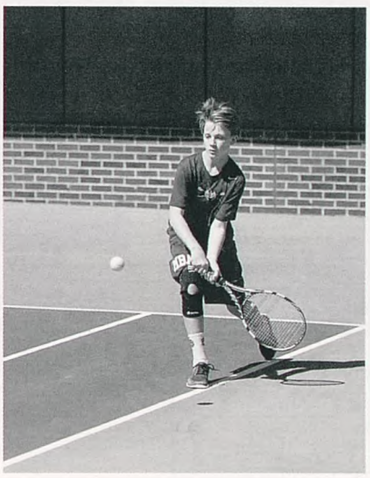
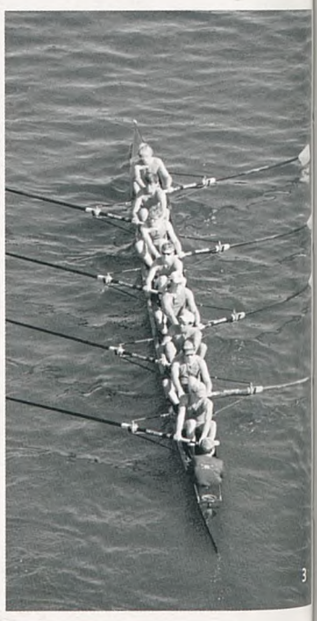


Fall Crew

Heading in New Directions

The fall crew season marked the best performances form the MBA rowers to date. Led by seniors Ethan Long, Alec Vest, Matt Hopp, and Will Blaufuss and coaches Calico and Valentine. The Junior Lightweight 4 medaled in every race they participated in, taking gold twice. The Junior 8 was able to capture silver at the Head of the South, and then took gold over MCallie at the Secret City Regatta. The win marked the program's first victory over the Blue Torndos in six years of A-boat to A-boat competition. During training, senior Bronson Ingram broke the school's 5k erg record, rowing an 18:07 in early November. In fact every varsity rower pulled a 5k faster than 20 minutes, which is a first in program history.



Racing against McCallie; this year marks the first time MBA has beaten McCallie in a head to head race.

Feature Image. Te boys pull their way to another strong finish. 1. On the open water, this race brought the varsity 4 a victory. 2. Getting in practice before the sun goes down is always a challenge in the fall season. 3. The regatta against McCallie was a great turning point in the season.

Cross Country

It's a Good Day to Run

The MBA cross country team started off hopeful with good returning runners and good health throughout the summer and during camp at Alpine. Their luck took a turn for the worst, however, and continued to fail with season crippling injuries to seven of the top ten runners, including top runner Will Peters; the team then had a disappointing finish at state, placing sixth.

Behind the struggles however, was a lot of hard work, thousands of miles of training, and the building of relationships on the trails of Percy Warner Park. The team also competed well in several meets throughout the season including the Drake and Jesse Owen classics and the City Championship.

With no senior runners competing in state, however, next year will return every single varsity runner. The team should make huge jumps with incoming and growing talent from underclassmen and the return of this year's junior class.

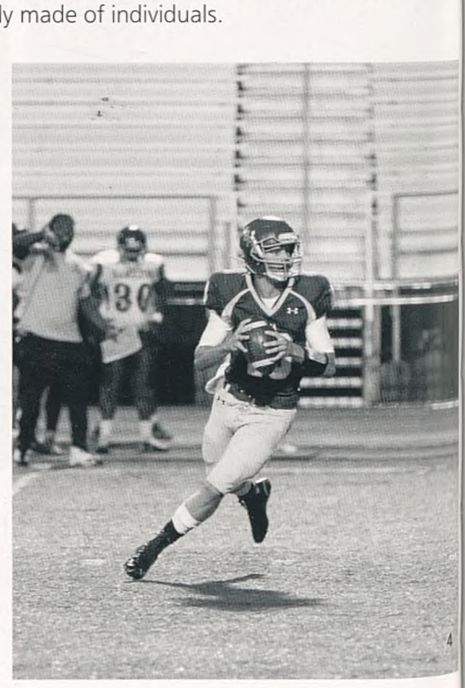
Feature Image: The varsity squad gathers around for the Day by Day chant right before beginning the state race. 1. Sophmore Jamison Russ breaks a smile as he runs by the student section at the state meet. 2. The whole team starts the first meet of the year, the Drake Classic. 3. Tom Peters leads the team and runs down a Father Ryan runner to finish a race. 4. Isaac Wills and Cole Thornton run side by side to finish the city meet

The MBA varsity squad starts their last meet of the season with massive support from the student body.

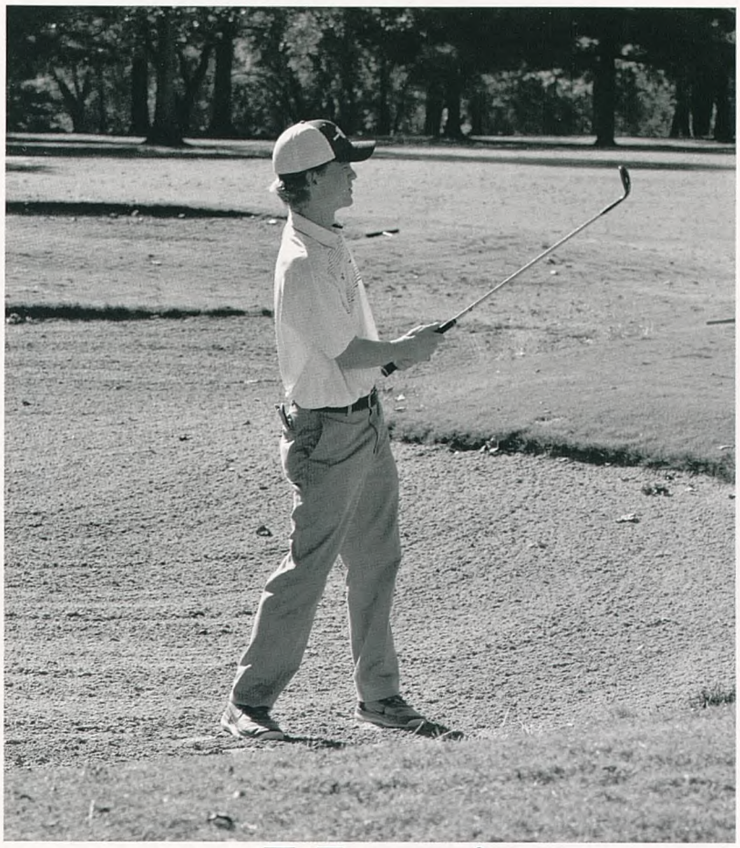
Varsity Football

State Runner-Up

It was another great year for Big Red Varsity football. Led by captains, David Gaw, Sam Sullivan, Josesph Scowden, and D'on Coofer. Team 117 proved hard to be beaten all year with quality wins over Ensworth, McCallie, and Baylor. With a tough loss against Brentwood Academy in the middle of the season, the Big Red battled back and dominated their opponents all the way to the state championship. Ty Chandler also put together an unbelievable season at running back and took home the Mr. Football award. In one the best games of the season, MBA lost in overtime to BA coming up just short of another state title. All in all, Team 117 had a remarkable year shattering all belief that a team with heart and a brotherhood can do just as well as a team solely made of individuals.



Feauture Image. Ty Chandler celebrates after he has scored the winning touchdown for The Big Red. 1. Sam Sullivan leads the pregame charge. 2. Ty Chandler breaks a weak Ensworth tackle. 3. The Big Red was a force to be reckoned with. 4. Quarterback Glenn Coleman surprised all with his amazing season.



Varsity Golf

Depth and Talent

Feature Image. Will Johnson clears the ball from the sand. 1. Will Johnson readies his put while the rest of the foursome cheers him on, quietly. 2. The team holds up one of their many achievements. 4. Zachary Skaff demonstrates his mighty follow through on this drive.

The 2015 golf season was another solid one for MBA. The team finished with its best regular season record in four years, and matched its best finish in the state tournament in the last eight years, finishing ahead of local rivals Ensworth and BA. One of the defining characteristics of this team was depth. Out of the 13 players on the roster, 11 qualified to be in the starting line-up at some point in the season. Match highlights during the year include a dramatic overtime, sudden-death win over Ensworth in a two-day Ryder Cup -style match. Also, MBA won its very own MBA Invitational over a field that included eventual Class 3-A champ Brentwood High. The post-season began with the Regional Championships. While it was not the team's best outing, the Big Red clinched the final qualifying spot for the State Tournament. The 2015 team was led by senior Connor Downey, who posted a season-best 71. In the state tournament the Big Red finished day one in fifth place, but improved on the back nine to hold off McCallie for a fifth place finish.

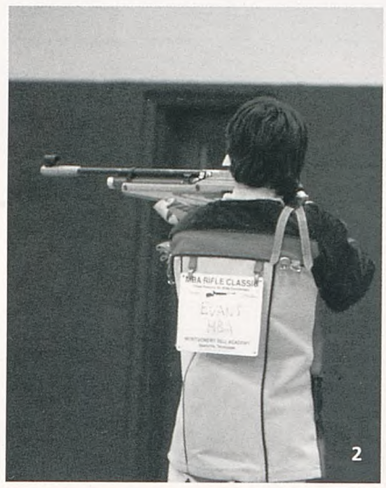
Seniors Connor Downey and Connor Gray represented the Big Red in the Regional Championship this fall.

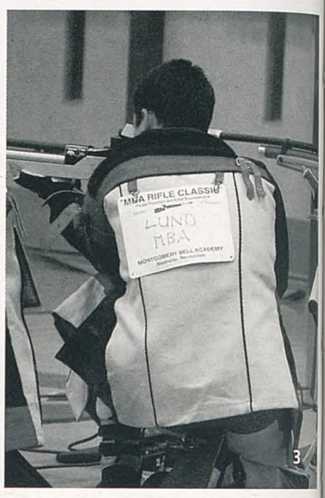
Rifle

Hitting Their Mark

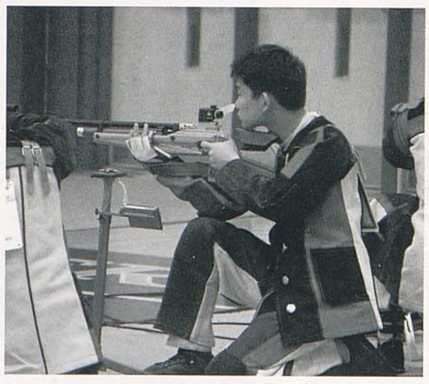
The Montgomery Bell Academy rifle team started the season with a deep roster of outstanding shooting athletes poised for a successful season and a return of the state championship to the MBA range. After an all too short summer respite the MBA Rifles kicked off the 2015-16 season in mid-August under the excellent student leadership of senior team captain Luke Cianciolo. Summer preparation paid off handsomely as the MBA Rifles started the competitive season with strong tournament performances at the CMP September monthly and the MBA Rifle Classic, where they captured the team silver medal. The team finished the first semester with a huge win over Blackman High School, setting a new state 3PAR record of 2324 and dual wins over rivals Siegel High School and Harpeth Hall School.

During the dark days of the second semester, they kept up the winning attitude, qualifying a record five shooters for the 2016 USA Shooting Jr Olympics in Colorado Springs, Colorado. In dual meets, the Big Red dominated St Louis University High School 3-1 in two mid-winter double-headers, followed by a big win over Mt. Juliet Christian Academy in dual action. Back from spring break, the team went to work, clinching the right to represent Tennessee at this year's CMP Jr Olympics 3 Position Nationals later this summer. The following weekend four of USA Shooting Jr Olympians traveled to Colorado Springs and went head to head with the best Jr shooters in the country. They returned home full of fight and confidence to lead the team into the 2016 State Championship. In a slugfest with Harpeth Hall and Siegel High School on 16 April, the Big Red Rifles won State Championship with a score of 2306. Sophomore Ben Wassynger turned in a sizzling 587 to win the individual title.

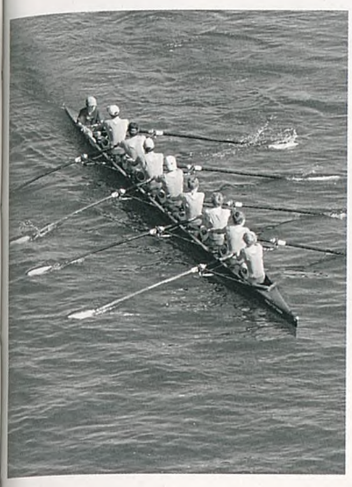




Feature Image. Zaxh Wassinger and Luke Cianciolo hold their awards from TSSA. 2. Will Evans lines up his shot. 3. Holland Lund readies his shot at the Rifle Classic hosted by MBA. 4. The competitors all take aim during the state competition.



Troy Jiang prepares for his round by taking aim at the target.



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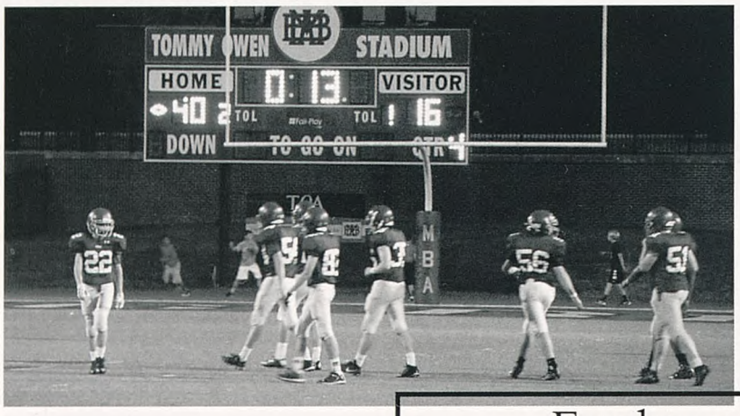
Cross Country

Row 1: Zach Garfinkel, Cole Thornton, Robert Dedman, Joseph Tarquine, Chris Owen, Peter Taylor, Parker O'Neal, Richard White, Joe Owens, Jack Sullivan, Tillman Dean; Row 2: Henry Caver, Alden Ferguson, Hunter Hamilton, Jamison Russ, Carter Lovvorn, Graham Ragsdale, John Powel Cooper, Henry Moxley, Tom Peters, Harrison Stenson, Isaac Wills; Row 3: William Barton, Rolfsen, Crom Tidwell, JB Lund, Charlie Bailey, Collin Christopher Falls, Hatcher, David Blaufuss, Christian Palm Petroni.



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Varsity Football

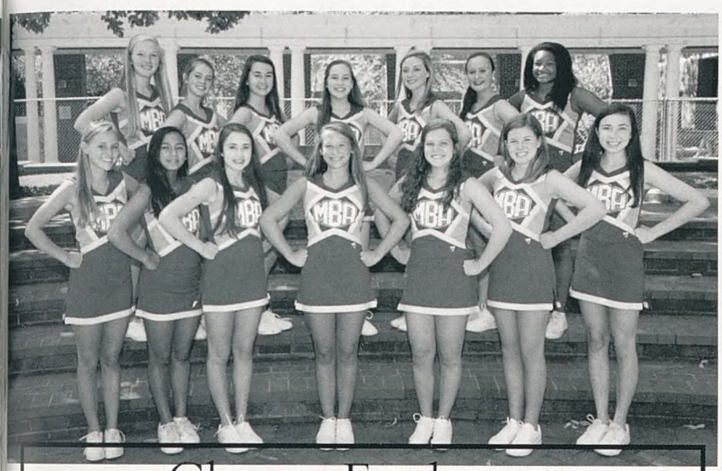
Montgomery Owen, Jordan Wilson, Darrius Southwell, D'On Coofer, Chris Saxon, Grant Green, Charles West, Oronde Pendergrass, Glenn Colman, David Gaw, Jackson McFadden, Sam Sullivan, Chapman Malone, Ty Allen, Gordon Pollock, Michael Lee, Ben Frigon, Brett Starr, Micah Battle, Karlton Bruton, Stephen Richey, JC Fogg, Nick Dreher, Winston Hewett, Connor Mulloy, Laws Hunter, Clarke, Harold Turks, Asher Curnutte, Tay Munoz, Jim Garrett, Jack King, Gabe Mendoza, Sartain Harrison, Graves, Call Bainbridge, Clay Garstin, Ryan Kosson, Drew Powell, Dean Cheevers, McGuire Chandler, Jack Benson, Logan Cashwell, Mac Lassing, Parker Bryan, Fenner Pollack, Gray Adelman, Josh Key, Werner Bradshaw, Austin Streaty, Tanner Noonan, Thomas Neff, John Kelly, Wesley Hall, Rob Harvey, Wyeth Patton, Hamilton Garber, Ruff Maddox, Abbey, Jesse Turner, Joseph Scowden, Phelps Gambill, Andrew Freeland, Johnson, KP Frazier, Palmer Thombs, Jake Evans, Addison Smith, Cameron Wade, Clint Blackwell, Brawner Wachtler, Dan Parks, Houston Hartle, Cal Cord Aubrey, Benjamin Dotye, Charlie Buffkin, Hannah Gauldin, Campbell Cook, Frank Wilk

Varsity Golf

Front Row: Zachary Jackson, Max Davis, Adric Kimbrough, Will Johnson, Alec McClellan, Conner Gray, Connor Downey; Back Row: Head Coach Sean Jackson, Sam Funk, Will Grana, Cal Rieke, Zachary Skaff, Josh Morris, Manny Rogers, Asst. Coach Gabe Carro

Rifle

Front Row R - l Ray Lee, Troy Jiang, Will Evans, Michael Ambrosius,
Back Row R - l Jack Hawkins, Josh Cheng, Riley Steanson, Holland Lund, Mark Lillard; Not Pictured - Luke Cianciolo (C), Ben Wassynger, Reilly Dodd, Matt Stagg, Owen Burns, Joseph Perazzini



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Cheer - Varsity

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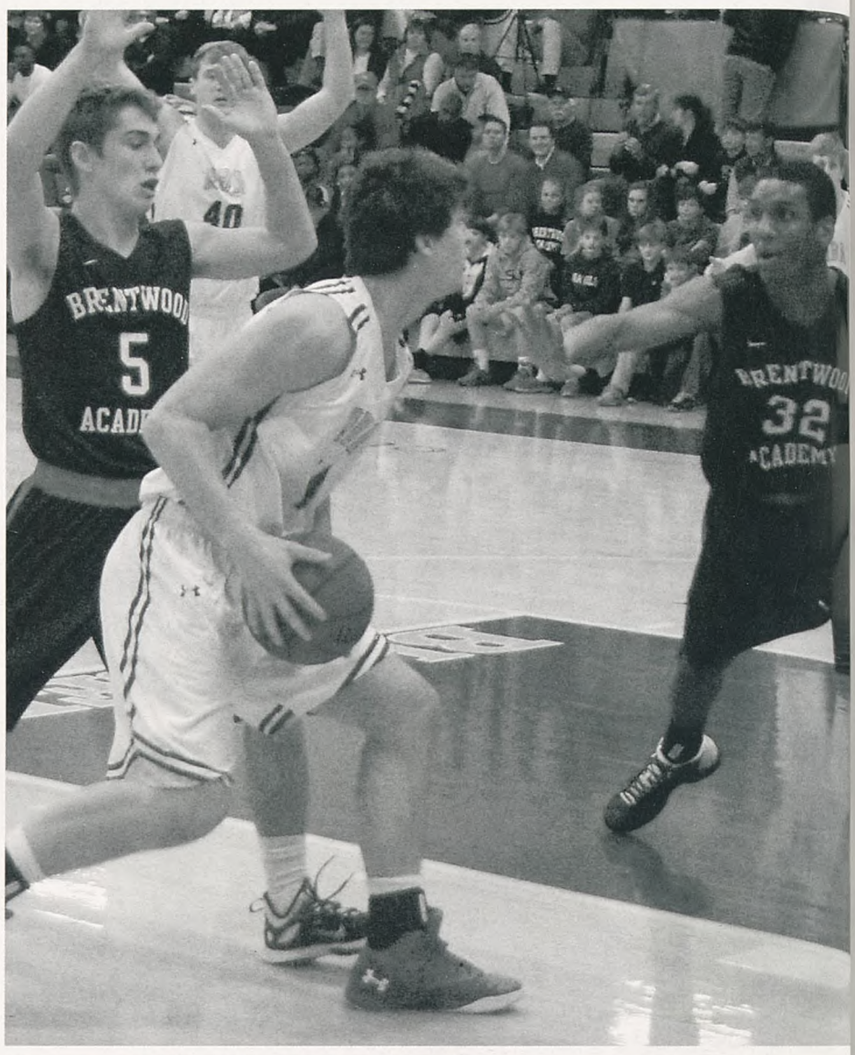
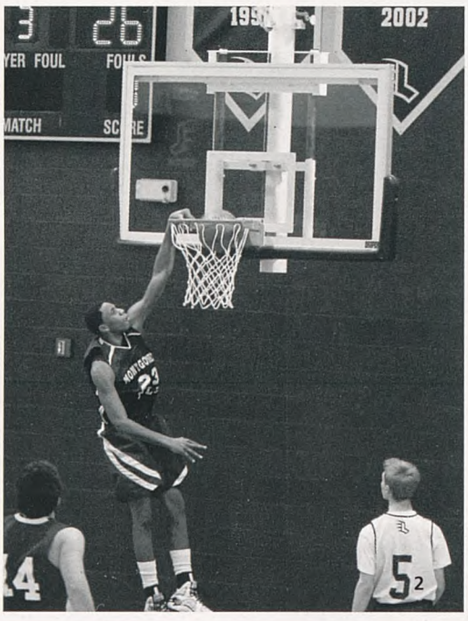
Varsity Basketball

Promising Future

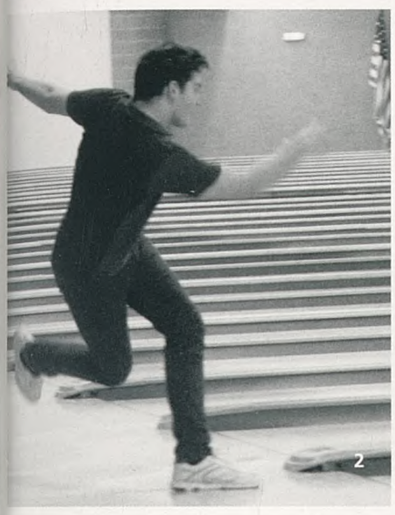
The 2015–2016 Varsity Basketball team was one of the Big Red's youngest in quite some time. Returning only one player who had played significant minutes, the Big Red relied upon an inexperienced lineup, including three sophomore starters, for most of the season. While the team's youth and a 10–16 final record might not have demonstrated it, the Big Red were very competitive all season. The Big Red also had many close finishes, with 13 games coming down to the final two minutes of play. While only winning a handful of those close games, that experience should prove invaluable as the team matures over the next couple of seasons. Senior captains Clarke Allen, Parker Bryan, and Carson Talbott provided good leadership and strong play for the young team. In addition, sophomore Drew Weikert led the team in scoring and was named team MVP at the end of year banquet. The Big Red will be a more seasoned bunch next year with a number of returning upperclassmen.





The Varsity Basketball team was led by a small group of seniors including Clarke Allen who dictated play during games.

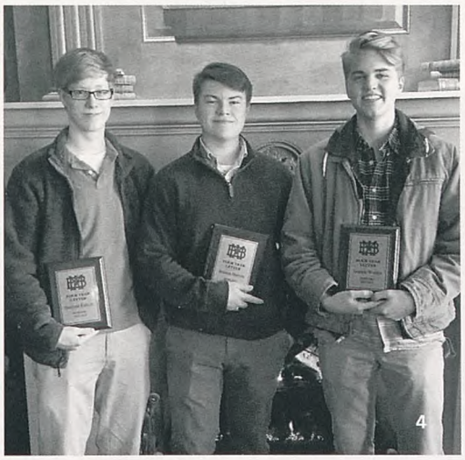
Feuture Image. Senior Clarke Allen drives to the basket against Brentwood Academy on senior night. 1. Jack Weikert takes the pick set by his senior teammate Parker Bryan. 2. Senior Jordan Wilson jumps high to secure the Big Red two points. 3. Will Nutter holds the ball as his teammates fall into position. 4. Senior Carson Talbott goes for three.



Bowling

A Force Awakens

Feature Image. Whenever the Big Red Bowlers visit Friendship Christian's home bowling alley they pose for a picture in front of the large bowling pin outside the alley. 1. The team celebrates after the completion of the season. 2. Senior Jamie Payne releases the ball with his wild form consisting of flailing arms and legs. 3. Coach Saunders gives a pump up speech before a very important match. 4. Seniors Grayson Fettroll, Brinton Hoover, and Jackson Wooten pose with their plaques.



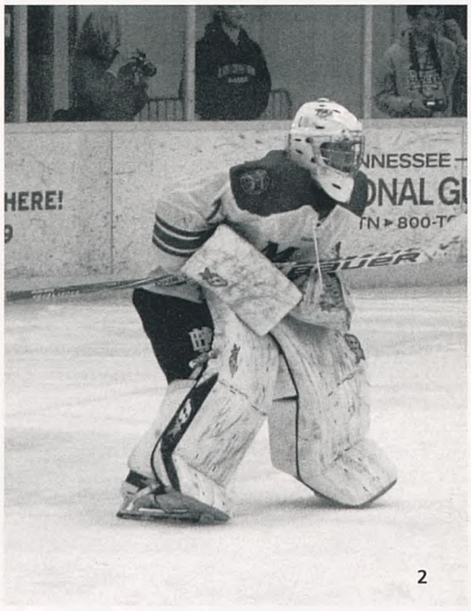
Seniors Brinton Hoover, Jamie Payne, and Jackson Wooten found a strong dynamic of support and competition as they bowled next to each other for almost the entire season.

In its 16th year of existence, and 2nd year under head coaches Chris Saunders and Johnathan Creamer, the MBA varsity bowling team had an excellent season. Bowling in the highly competitive Middle/East Region of Division II and the return of all but one of the 2014-2015 squad, the team was hungry to make up for their surprise 1st round exit from last year's district tournament. After losing to a somewhat strong DCA squad by 20 pins in their final match, the squad finished 4th in the regular season. This 4th place finish meant they would have to fight for their place in the State Tournament through winning the District Tournament then winning the Region Tournament. It looked a tough climb for the Big Red Bowlers. However, the team was not worried. Under the leadership of Coach Creamer and Coach Saunders, the bowlers won the Districts and Regions earning their spot as the final seed in the State Tournament. For the first match of the tournament the Big Red Bowlers faced first seed McCallie, one of the strongest teams in the competition. After the first two of three games the Big Red was surprisingly slightly ahead, scaring McCallie with their energy and passion for the sport. Unfortunately, the squad was not able to hold the upset through the third game but it was a valiant effort and great match for the seniors to end on. Thanks to Coach Creamer and Coach Saunders for their leadership and strong faith in the team.

Varsity Hockey

Heart and Determination

With 17 players returning from last season's State Runner-up team, the Big Red varsity hockey club was aiming high. Offensive strength and scoring came primarily from juniors Jacob Kovick, Ellis Moore and from sophomores Josh Morin, Robert Cowan, Blake Robison, and Josh Morris. The defense was led by alternate captain Nick Ray along with Daniel Cowan, Ben Evans, Matthew Haley, and captain Ethan Mowery. Noah Wamble was the wall in the goal keeping many teams from scoring. The team was very young, with only four seniors on the varsity team. However this did not stop the Big Red from out scoring, out skilling, and out playing almost all of the teams in the league. The team finished the season as the number one team and winning the GNASH varsity hockey league. The team then went on to blow through the quarterfinals and semifinals of the state tournament. In the finals the Big Red faced their bitter rivals Ravenwood. Having beaten them twice in the regular season, Ravenwood came out fast and hard. It was a difficult loss but this young team has so much potential and heart to take it all the way next year,



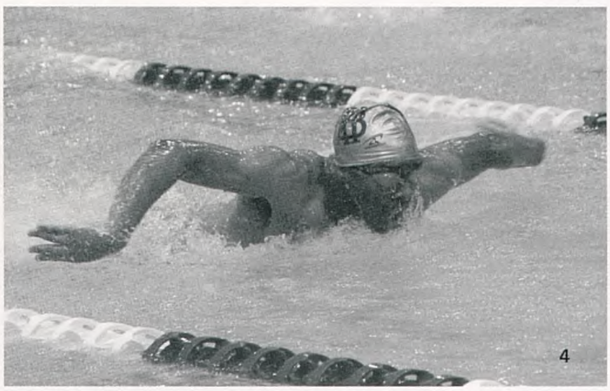
Color commentators KP Frazier and Joseph Scowden became the voice of the Big Red Hockey team with their commentating.

Feautre Image. The team gathers together as they clinch their position into the sta championship final. 1. 2015 GNASH Champions!! 2. The Tank, Noah Wamble's nickname goal coined by commentator Joseph Scowden. 3. The team hits their sticks on the outside the bench to applaud their teammate. 4. Freshman Brandon Mcdonald-Surman faces off an important game.

Varsity Swimming

Aquatic Excellence

The varsity swimming and diving team competed at the very top of the Middle Tennessee region in the 2015-2016 season. In dual meets MBA's athletes defeated teams from Oakland, Franklin, Ravenwood, and Ensworth, tying their meet against Riverdale and losing only to Brentwood High, the defending region champions. With that record, the Big Red finished the regular season as runners-up in MTHSSA's Division VIII. Twenty-three of the team's 28 swimmers qualified to compete at the MTHSSA Region Championships. The team's effort was highlighted by victories in two of the meet's three relays. Hudson Dobbs, Ford Ray, Ryan Carpenter, and Matthew Robbins won the meet's opening event, the 200-yard medley relay, in a narrow finish against the team from BHS, and Larry Hayes joined Dobbs, Ray, and Robbins for a second, decisive victory in the 200-yard freestyle relay. With that effort, MBA finished second in the region with 266.5 points, within 40 points of BHS and later the team competed in the State Competition finishing 12th. Dobbs and Ray both earned post-season honors: the two were named First Team and Second Team All-Region, respectively. Senior Hunter Hamilton was named an Academic All-American by the National Interscholastic Swim Coaches Association.



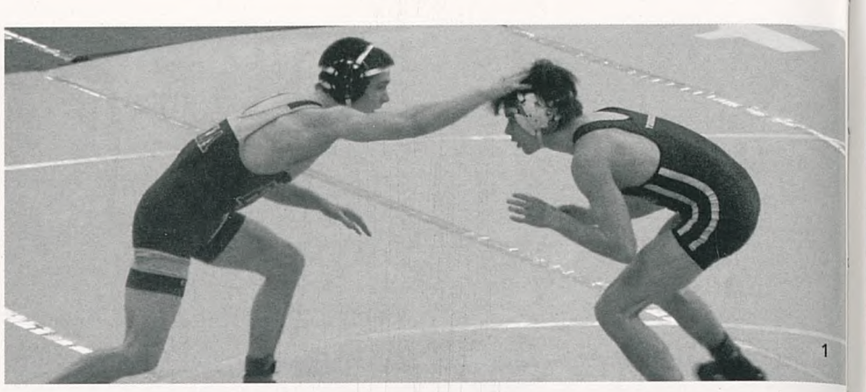
Feature Image. Big Red Swimmers enjoy taking the gold. 1.MBA swimmer prpares for the go as he races in the regional championship. 2. Freshman diver Will Nahley contributed many big points to MBA's varisty swim and dive team. 3. Reuban Dockery talks tactics with Coach Phillips and Coach Killian. 4. Reuban Dockery swims his heart out.

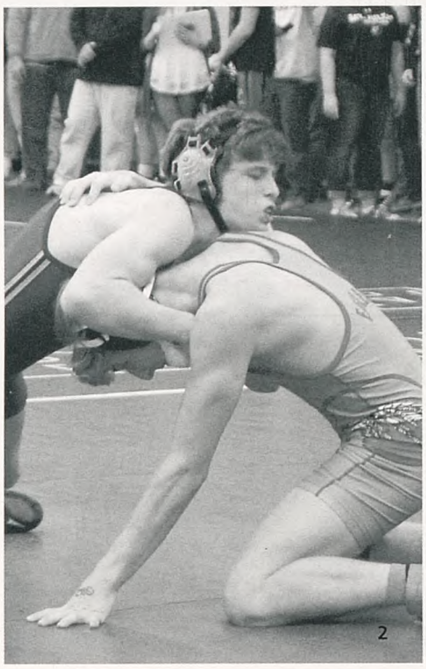
Senior Hunter Hamilton takes a quick nap before his race. Swimming is a tiring sport.

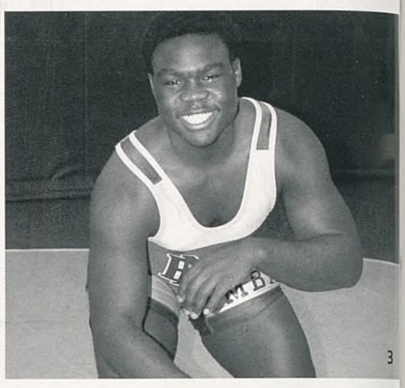
Varsity Wrestling

Strong Finish

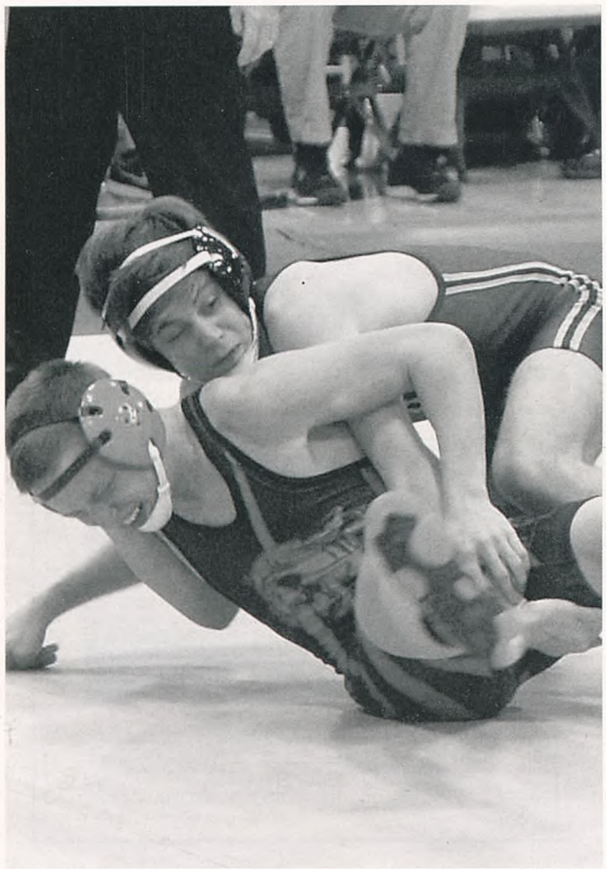
The MBA Wrestling team finished the 2015-16 season with a record of 6-11. With the football team's long march the Blue Cross Bowl , many or the boys were not able to compete in wrestling until after Christmas. The lack of numbers put a huge strain on the team, as it had trouble filling many of the upper weights classes with experienced wrestlers. While many of the freshmen who stepped up to fill those spots on the team competed well, in most cases, they were too inexperienced to find a great deal of success. Despite team struggles, many of our individual wrestlers had great seasons. In the TSSAA State Individual Meet the team finished 5th place while Joseph Tarquine, Gabriel Elkin, Carter Heckle and D'On Coofer each placed 2nd. Fourth-place finishers were John Michael Glover, Mark Floyd, Sam Sullivan and John Kelly. Finishing in 5th place were Thomas Bellet and Perry Matthews. Gabriel Elkin (119 lbs.) and D'On Coofer (220 lbs.) were selected to the Middle Tennessee Dream team. Mark Floyd was the recipient of the G.P. West Award (given by the Middle Tennessee Wrestling Coaches Association) for academics, service, citizenship, leadership and making an overall impact on the community around him.

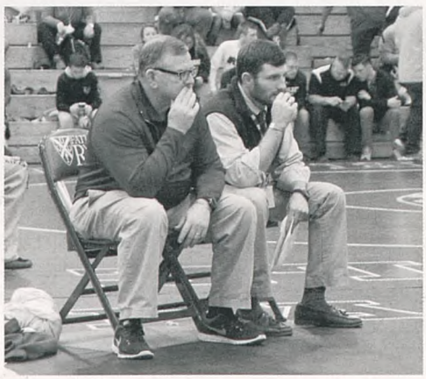




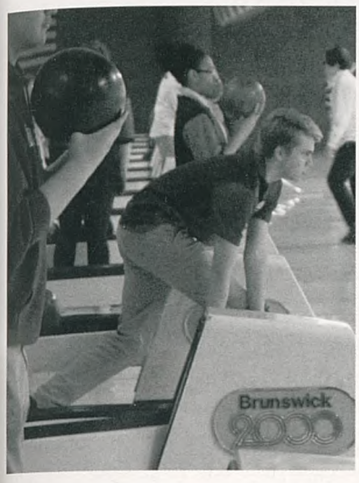


Feature Image: Freshman Blake Andrews holds down his man with a spiral ride. 1. Junior John Michael Glover head taps at the Prep Slam 2. Sophmore Thomas Bellet snaps down a father ryan opponent 3. Senior D'On Coofer was both a team leader and finished second in the State Tournament. 4. Senior Mark Floyd dominates his man at the MBA duels





Coaches Frank and Patrick Simpson ponder the performance of one of their athletes at the Father Ryan Invitational. The father son pairing brought a new dynamic to the coaching of the wrestling team.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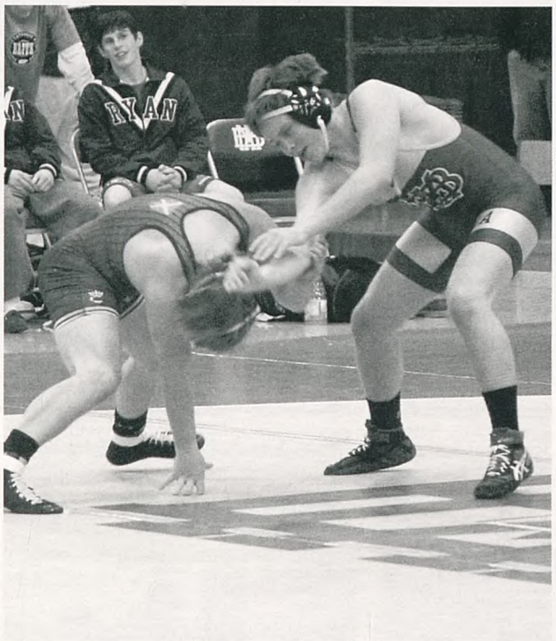
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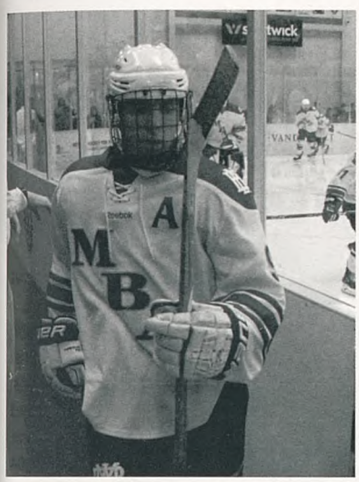

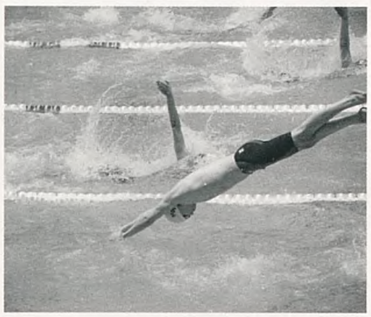

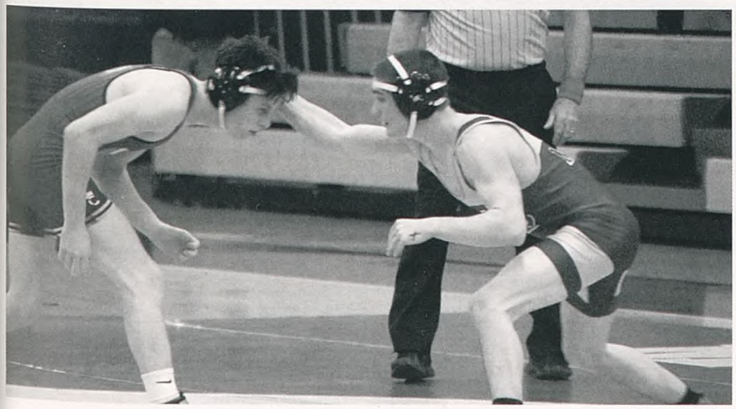

SWIMMING

Freshman Basketball

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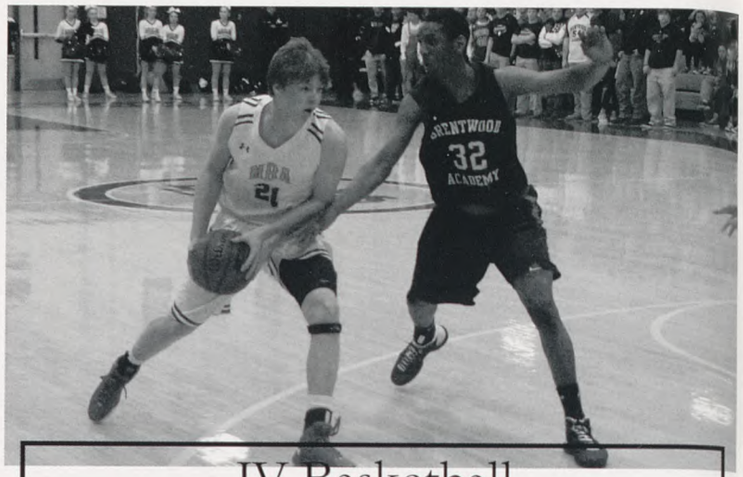

JV Basketball

Ford Brewer, Jack Crawford, Will Hoffman, Brad Hornsby, Jack Hornsby, Zachary Jackson, Jarrett Knight, Luke Montana, Josh Okai-Tetteh, Haden Wachtler

Varsity Basketball

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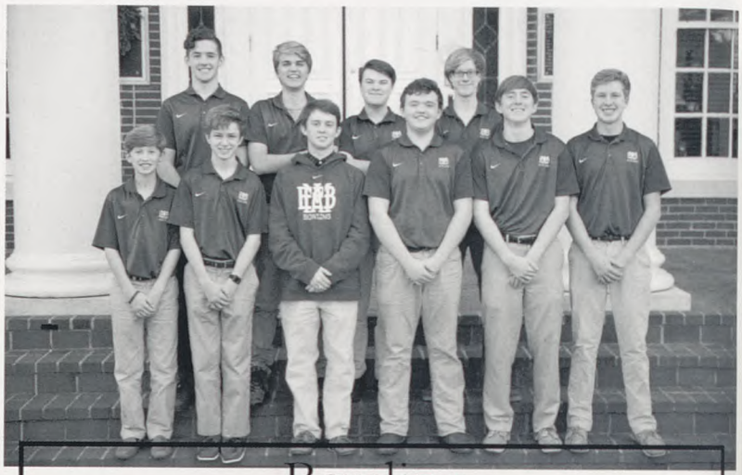

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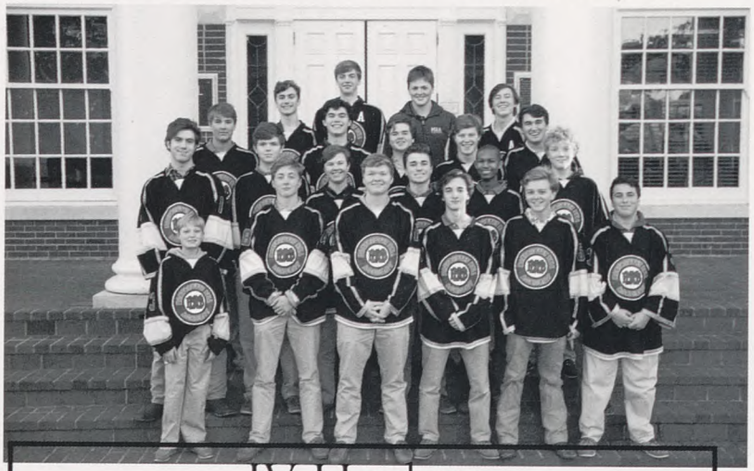

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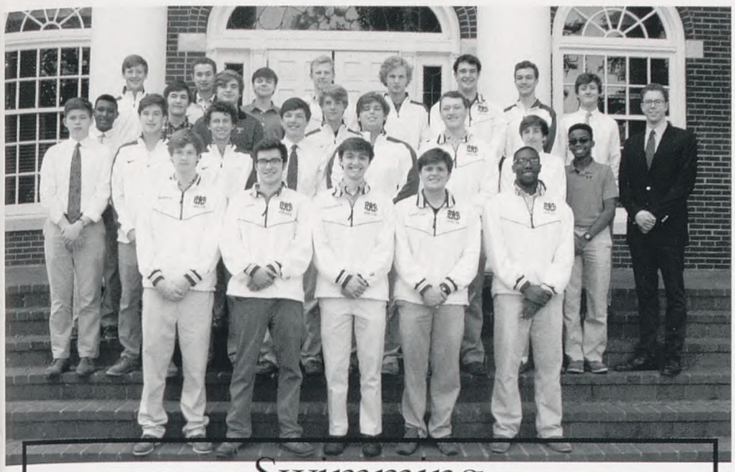
Varsity Hockey

Jack Anderson, Will Beasley, Daniel Cowan, Robert Cowan, John Dinkins, ben Evans, Jake Evans, Michael Garcia, Matthew Haley, Jacob Kovick, Brandon MacDonald Surman, Cameron MacDonald Surman, Ellis Moore, Josh Morin, Josh Morris, Ethan Mowery, Nick Nola, Nicholas, Ray, Blake Robinson, Sam Smith, Noah Wamble, Christian Williams



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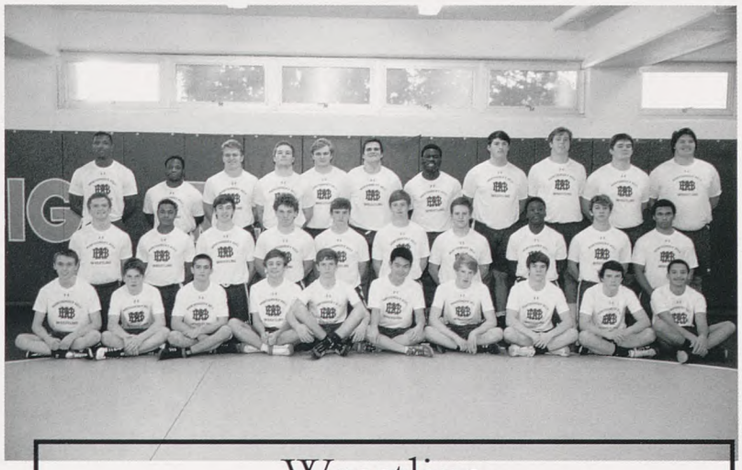


Wrestling

Row 1: Sam Curry, JC Fogg, Sam Sullivan, Ryan Kosson, Grant Ellison, Wyeth Patton, D'On Coofer, Jackson Lampley, Jesse Turner, John Kelly, Joseph Scowden; Row 2: Mark Floyd, Ben Dotye, Perry Matthews, Cord Wilson, Cominic Fisher, Braden Myers, Clay Garstin, Harold Turks, Simon Webber, Dayton Upchurch; Row 3: Joseph Tarquine, Will Caver, John Michael Glover, Blake Andrews, Thomas Bellet, Troy Jiang, James Vest, Jacob Herdon, Doug Gaw, Brendan Harris.

Cheer - Basketball

Row 1: Caroline Buffkin, Wynne Briggs, Caroline Davis, Katie Nicholson, Ally Nawrocki; Row 2: Aex Strobel, Annie Cook, Aubrey Robinson, Savannah Lemon, Janet Ann Horner, Caitlin Williamson; Row 3: Kenedi Fitts, Kayla Whalum, Hailey Fox, Kellen Whalum, Meghan Shitney.

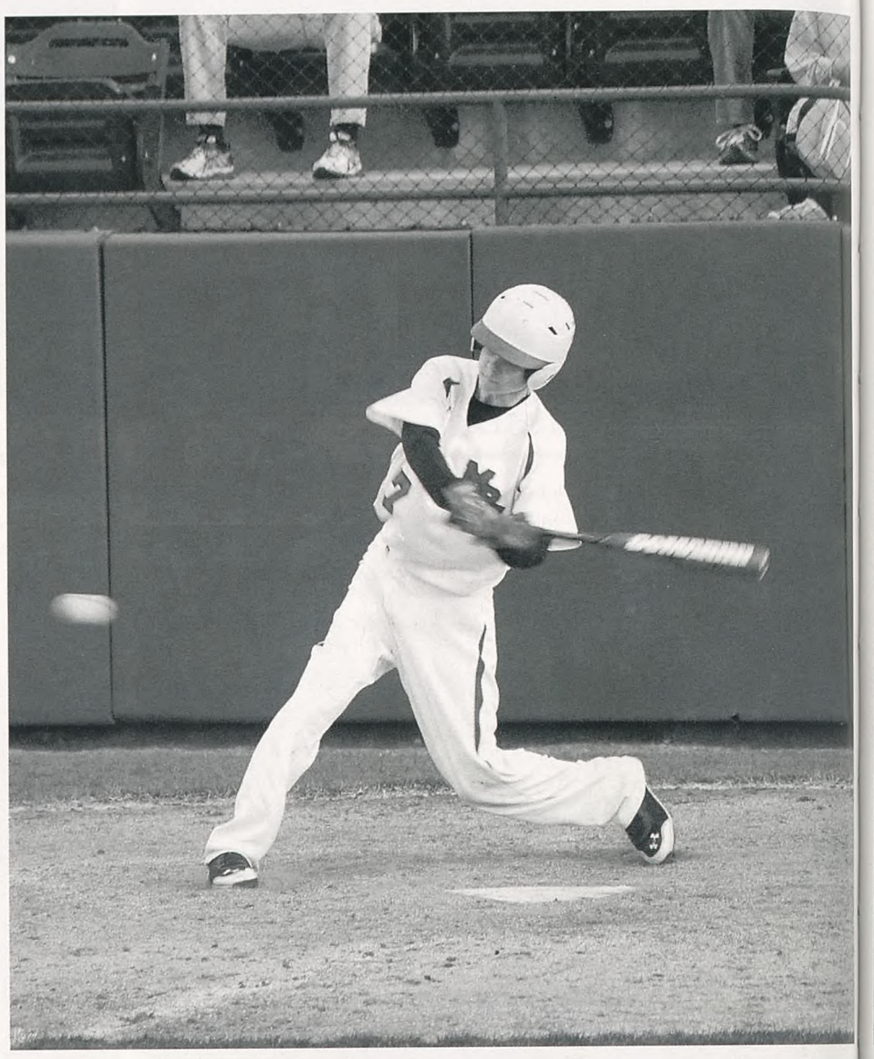
Cheer - Wrestling

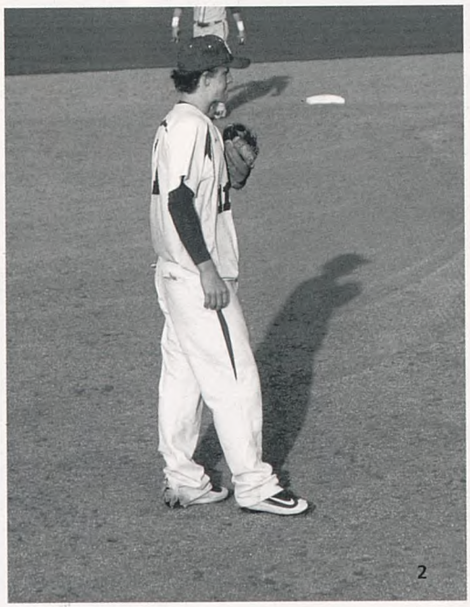
Row 1: Caroline Higgins, Tess Myers, Kelly Short, Y'Yemata Boyd, Madeline Jenkins, Helen Simpson; Row 2: Rose Simpson, Eliza Frensley, Caroline Eastgate, Katie Suchanick, Katherine Frensley, Cecilia Romo.

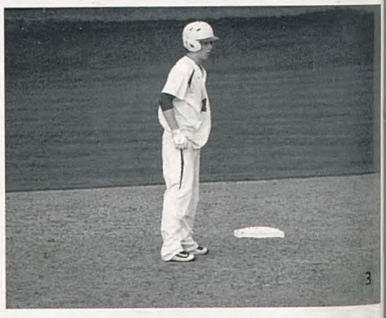
Varsity Baseball

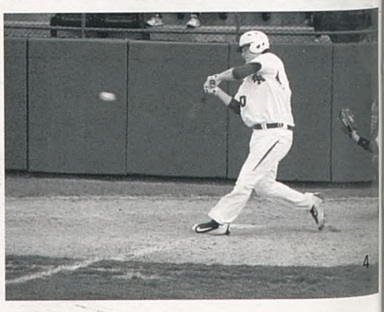
Swinging for the Fences

The Varsity Baseball team opened the 2016 campaign with a three-game series with Brentwood Academy. After dropping three games to the Eagles, the Big Red traveled on their annual Spring Break trip to Gulf Shores, Alabama to compete in the Gulf Coast Classic Tournament. They competed against some excellent teams on the trip and left with a 1–3 record for the tournament. Even though the season held many struggles with injuries, the varsity team stuck together to win the series against cross town rival, Ensworth. During the final two weeks of the season, the team played well and headed into the postseason with momentum. The Big Red faced Father Ryan in round 1 and defeated them in two straight games to advance to the quarterfinals versus the number two seed, JPII. MBA gave JPII everything they could handle, but the Big Red could not overcome the great pitching performance from Vanderbilt commitment, Mason Hickman. They dropped both games 5–0 and 5–1 respectively to end their season.



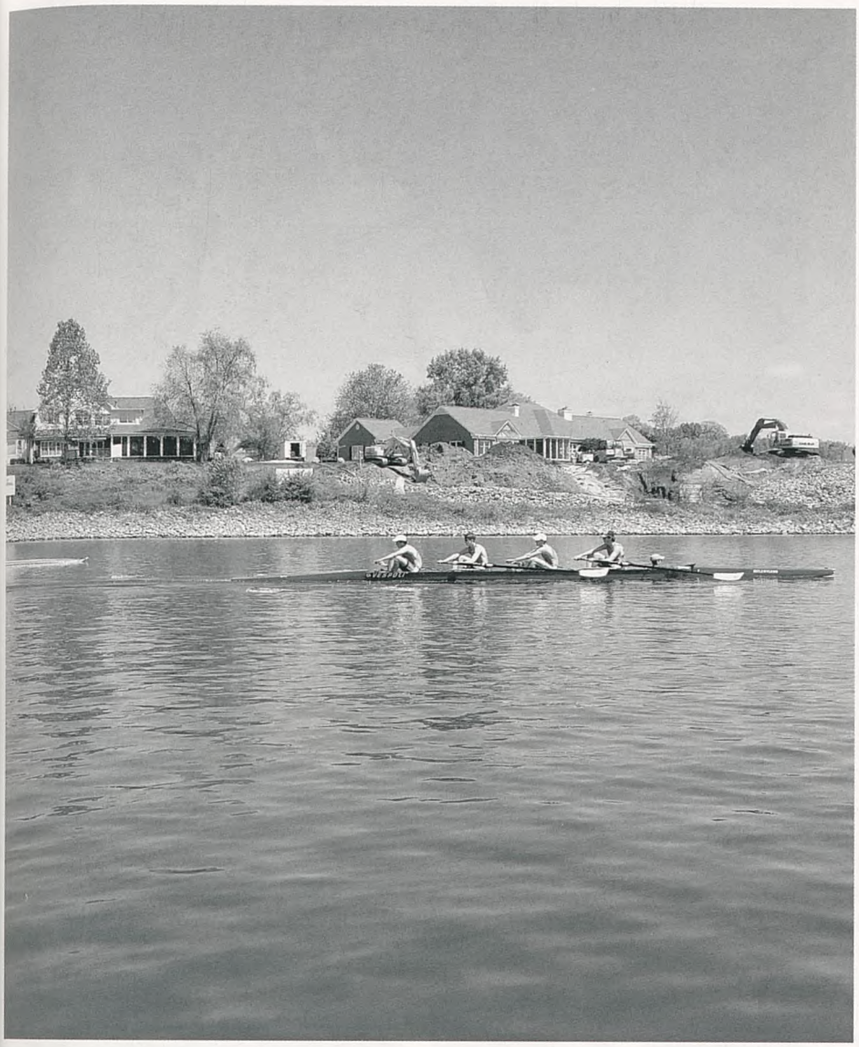






Looking on an coaching from the dugout there is never a dull moment.

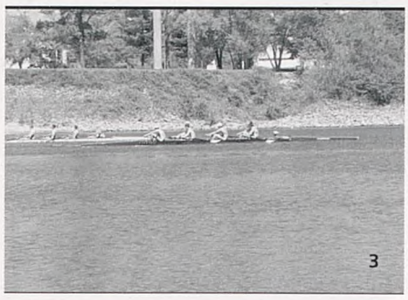
Feature Image. David Gaw is getting ready to make solid contact with this pitch. 1. Cole Cross calls the pitches from behind the plate. 2. Playing third is Ty Allen. 3. Jed Griffin takes a slight lead off second base. 4. Bradon Bennett hits a a strong pitch for a single in this at bat.



Spring Crew

Cruising Towards Home

MBA Crew competed in four regattas this spring: Nashville Sprints, MBA-McCallie Dual, Dogwood Championships, and Midwest Scholastic Championships. At the Nashville Sprints the Varsity 8 earned a silver medal. The MBA-McCallie Dual was very competitive and MBA split gold and silver, two and two, with McCallie retaining the cup by winning the Varsity 8. The Lightweight 4 took silver at Dogwood, and the team finished its season by competing at the Midwest Scholastic Championships. This was MBA's first time attending and the team finished 39 th out of 47 high school teams. The team also relocated their practice site closer to campus to masimize their time on the water. The small team raced four boats, and the highlights included the Novice 4 reaching the semi-finals, the Varsity 8 making the consolation finals, and the Lightweight 4 finishing fifth in the finals.



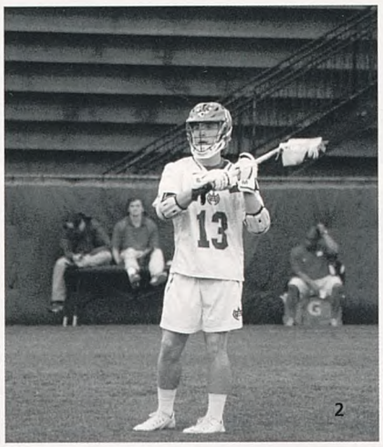
Feature Image. The four man boat beat out their rival, McCallie this season. 1. Loading everyone into the boat before launch at the early morning regatta. 2. The Varsity Eight take to the choppy water. 3. Under bright clear skies the boys erg their way ahead of the competition. 4. Not all of the time is spent on the water.

Spending time on the water is the best way to improve as a team, even when the sun is going down.

Varsity Lacrosse

Playing with Heart

The MBA lacrosse team, lead by senior captains Jim Garrett,njamin Graves, Jackson Siktberg, and David Wise, began the year determined to improve on its 2015 TSLA semifinal appearance. The year began with big wins over Baylor, Kentucky power Trinity, and McCallie, the defending Tennessee state champion. After falling to rival MUS to start the second half of the season, The Big Red rebounded with consecutive wins over Christian Brothers, USN, and Father Ryan. After a tough trip to Atlanta for the Legacy Cup Invitational, the team was finally back to full strength and reeled off four consecutive wins to clinch the East Region title. The Big Red's playoff run began with a 13-7 against Baylor. The win set up a rematch with McCallie in the TSLA semifinals. With time winding down Harrison Graves found his brother Benjamin for a game-tying goal with eight seconds left to play. Two Blue Tornado penalties gave MBA a two-man advantage and Sophomore Fenner Pollock ended the McCallie season with a sudden-death goal and a spot in the state championship game the following day. Despite a valiant effort, the Big Red didn't have enough left in the tank to overcome a talented MUS team falling to The Owls 12-6.MBA's success on the field resulted in numerous post-season honors. Harrison Graves, Fenner Pollock, Jacob Kovick, and Connor Mulloy were voted Second Team All-Region. Benjamin Graves, Gordon Pollock, Gabe Mendoza, Siktberg, Hayles, and Wise were voted First Team All- Region. Gordon Pollock and Wise earned Second Team All-State honors, while Benjamin Graves, Hayles, and Mendoza garnered First Team All-State selections. Finally, Mendoza and Benjamin Graves were selected as two of the seven All Americans from Tennessee.



Feature Image. Jck Hayles brings the ball up the field in the State Championship game. 1. Zach Smith runs the ball up the field towards the goal against Ensworth. 2. Chris Tarquinio is looking for an open teammate during the senior night game. 3. Fighting of MUS, Gabe Mendoza brings the ball up the filed. 4. Jackson Siktberg readies himself in goal.

Varsity Track and Field

Record Times Abound

The 2016 edition of the Big Red track and field team was another success, repeating last year's state finish with a stirring come-from-behind surge in the running events to snatch Runner-Up from three other teams. High points included the 4 x 100 and 4 x 200 relays (Darrius Southwell '16, Montgomery Owen'17, Ty Chandler '17, and Sam Dugan '19) running times among the best ever at MBA, Will Peters ('17) scoring in all three distance events, Will Eskew '16 producing the 2nd best ever decathlon (6333 pts), and Sam Curry '16 scoring in both hurdle events and anchoring the 4 x 400 relay team. After handily re-capturing the team trophy in the Highland Games, the team came home to compete in the Doug Hall relays. For the seventh year in a row, the lads handily won the City Championship. Winning events were McClain Portis '18 (High Jump), Eskew (Shot), Ben Frigon '18 (Disc), Curry (110 Hurdles), Chandler (100 dash), and Will Peters (1600 and 3200).

At the region meet, MBA placed 2 nd to eventual state champion Brentwood Academy with a solid team performance. The team qualified all of the relays, and at least one Individual qualifier in all of the running events. At the team banquet, three special awards were given out. Curry - for the second year in a row was the season leader in points scored - won the Most Valuable Athlete, new school record holder in the 100 dash Ty Chandler was most valuable on the track, and Will Eskew was most valuable field athlete.

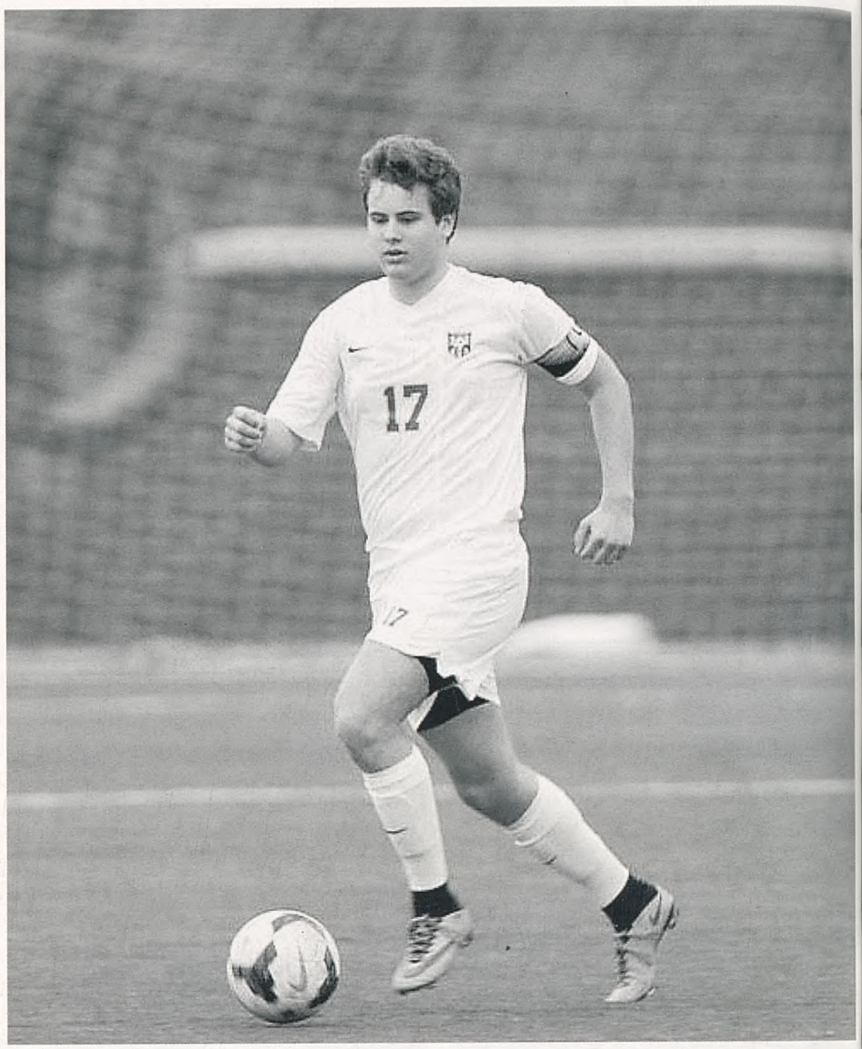
The team stands together proudly with their second place trophy.

Feature Image. Will won the last two events in the decathlon to finish 2nd in the State Decathlon earning 6333 points. 1. Jackson Owen round the turn in the relay. 3. John Farr clears this height. 3. Charlie Buffkin hands off the baton to Sam Curry in their second place finish in the 1600m relay. 4. Joseph Scowden gives it everything he has bringing that baton over the finish line.

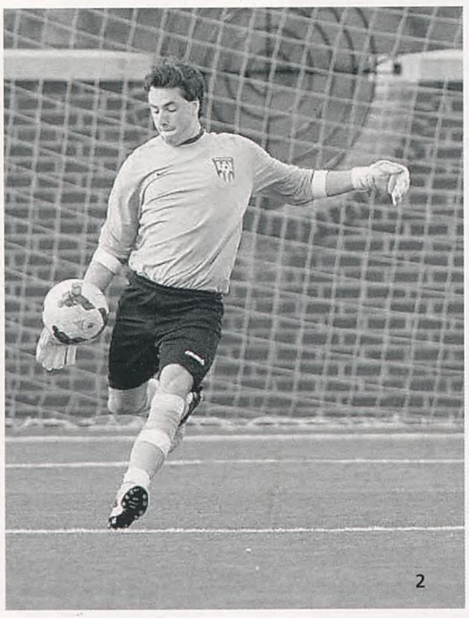
Varsity Soccer

Exceeding Expectations

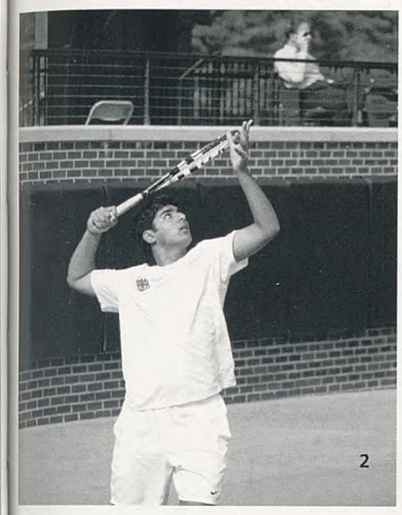
After an amazing year in 2014-2015, winning the TSSAA State Championship, the MBA varsity soccer team was looking to take home the trophy again. Senior Hunt Smith said at the beginning of the season, "It would be no easy task to go to state for a second consecutive year; the team is younger and smaller. However, I can say without doubt there is no less heart in the squad." Hunt was just right, the team was young but the amount of heart and determination led them to a fantastic season. Proving their strength through the regular season, the team only lost one game and entered into the state championship. Beating both MUS and McCallie to reach the final, the Big Red looked the favorites to win and defend the title. Their opponents were Christian Brothers, a longtime rival that has always put up a good fight. Christian Brothers went up first scoring early in the game but MBA rallied back to force extra time with a late goal. Extra time was back and forth with no result which finally led to the dreaded penalty shootout. The Big Red found themselves up by 2 but were unable to finish out the win. The loss was disappointing but in the end this team did tremendous work and showed that heart and teamwork translates into success.

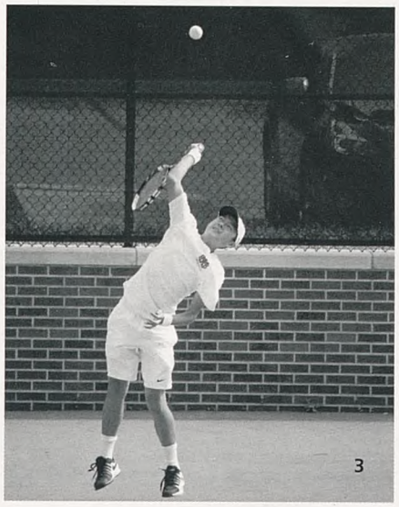


Junior Ellis Moore dribbles around McCallie looking for the perfect pass. Ellis was commanding in the midfield.



Feature Image. Senior Christian Williams dribbles the ball looking to start the team's possession out of the back. 1. Henry Hylbert watches as his man runs past him 2. Senior goalkeeper Zac Jernigan punts the ball forward looking to land it on the head of his teammate. 3. Freshman Luke Bernatavitz lines up a shot from the right side of the goal, a younger forward who is likely to score lots of goals during his time on The Hill. 4. The famous Porter long throw, a tactic used throughout the season proving a great tool.





Tennis

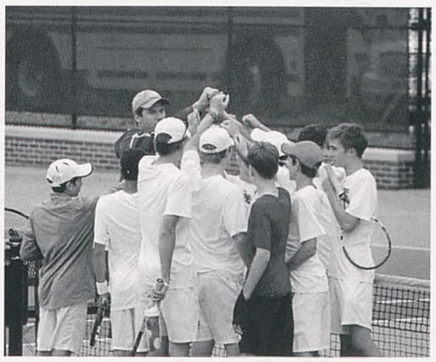
Another Great Season

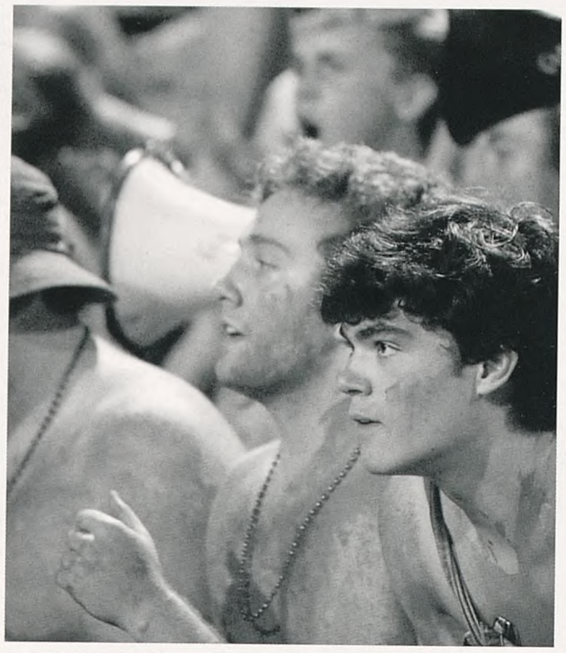
Feature Image. George Harwell, the State Individuals winner, in an early match from the season. 1. Matthew Bulow hits a powerful forehand, winning his team a point in doubles. 2. Senior Rishi Mallipeddi concentrates on his serve. 3. 8th grader Baylor Sai jumps high to smash the ball towards his competition 4. Frist Allen keeps his eye on the ball so that he can return it to his opponent.

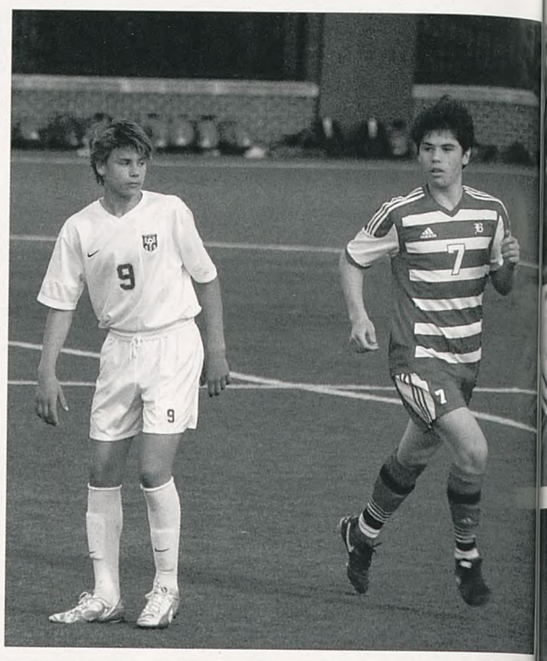
MBA's tennis team had a successful season. The team competed in three tournaments: the DecoTurf High School Tennis Team Championships in Chattanooga, the Rotary Tournament in Chattanooga and MBA's own Carter Invitational. The team played some of its best tennis of the season in dual matches. The team only had one dual match loss in the regular season to the eventual team state champion Baylor, and had strong wins against McCallie, Brentwood High School, Webb School of Knoxville, and Brentwood Academy, Father Ryan, Ensworth and University School of Knoxville.

With only one regular season league loss, MBA entered the playoffs as the 2 seed from the East/Middle region after Baylor. By entering as the 2 seed, MBA got a first round bye and got to host winner of JPII and Ensworth in the quarterfinal. MBA defeated Ensworth 4-0 at home in the quarterfinal to qualify for the Spring Fling and face off against Memphis University School in the semifinal. With the 0-3 deficit, MBA would only be able to win the match if it won the remaining four singles matches. While MBA nearly pulled off the incredible upset, the heat and long matches took a toll on the players and sadly MBA came up just short, falling to MUS 4-2 in the semifinal. While it was a disappointing loss after a good team season, the year ended on a high note as later that week junior George Harwell won the individual singles state championship for the second year in a row, defeating Miles Jackson of Ensworth in the championship 7-6(5), 3-6, 6-4.

Although the team had a disappointing loss in the State Competition semifinals against MUS, the young team will come back stronger and hope for the finals next year.







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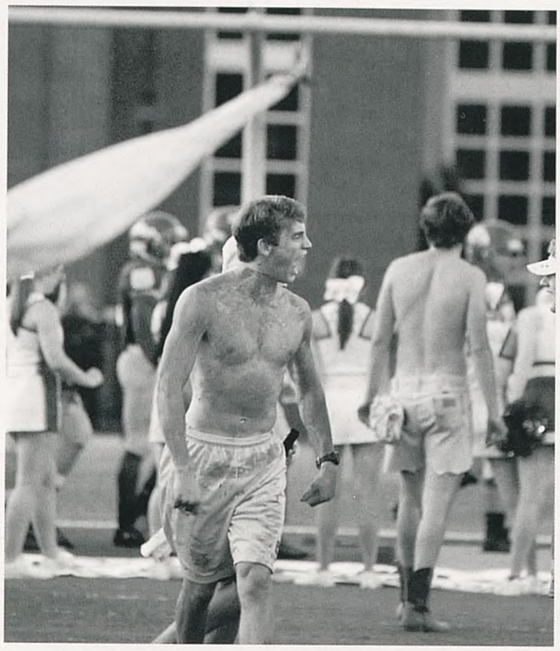
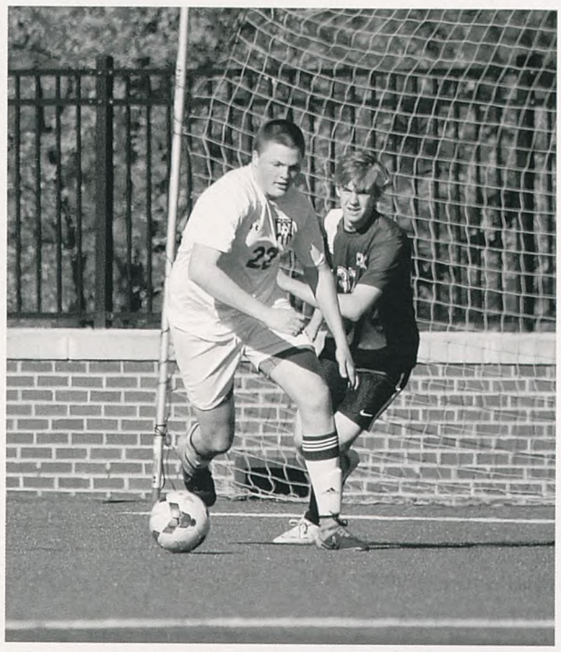
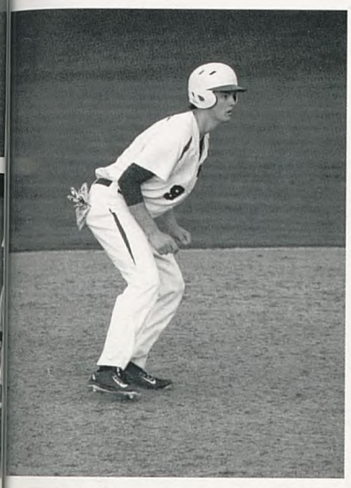
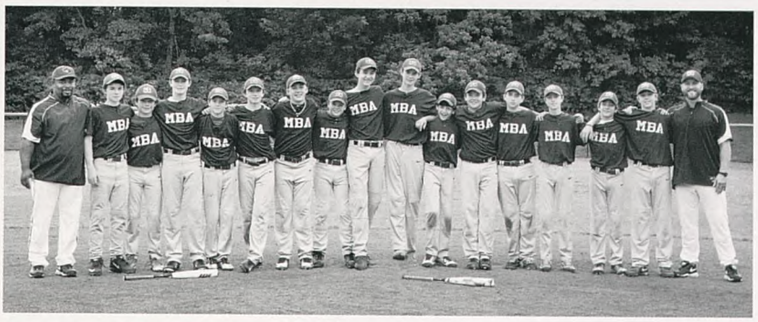
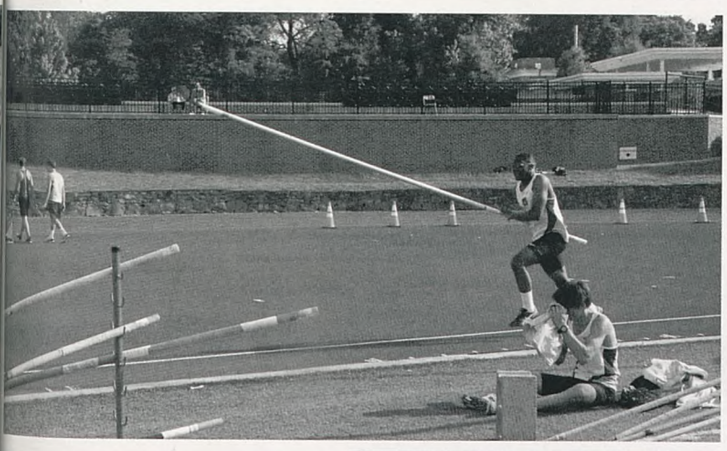
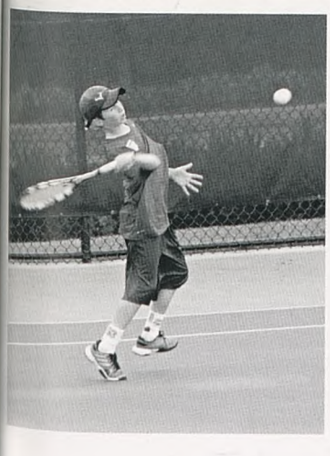












JV Baseball

Back Row: Coach Kimball, Ben Evans, Jack Heflin, Patrick Butner, Cole Crider, Christian Schwartz, Joseph Perazzini, Coach Laster. Front Row: Blake Kirchenbauer, Daniel Lee, Chris Hawkins, Jake Herbstreit, Brenden Harris, William Stewart, Tye Herbstreit, Will Singer.

Varsity Baseball

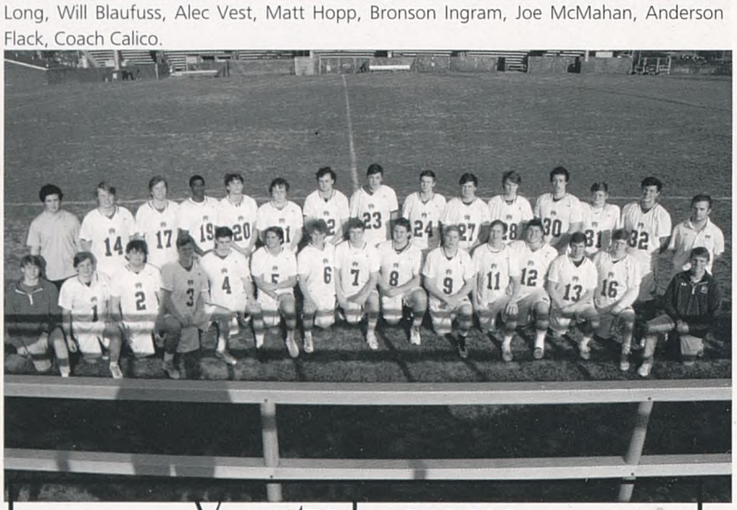
Baseball: Winston Hewett, Carter Lovvorn, Brandon Bennett, Sam Morris, Sam Rhodes, Ty Allen, Zach Richardson, Drew Davis; Row 2: Cole Cross, Jake Evans, Will Allen, Jack Anderson, Turner Johnson, Will Hansen, Ben Coulthard, Miller Freeman, David Gaw,; Not pictured: Jed Griffin, Brett Starr.

Crew

Row 1: Zane Wang, Aiden O'Dwyer, Frank WIlk, Brandon Lewis, Jacob Herter, Reagan Sparks, Carson Reisinger, John Preston, Wesley Hirschman, Creighton Laub; Row 2: Coach Valentine, Harrison Avery, Coach Ewing, Hudson Walker, Owen Hughes, Ethan Long, Will Blaufuss, Alec Vest, Matt Hopp, Bronson Ingram, Joe McMahan, Anderson Flack, Coach Calico.

JV Lacrosse

Roster: Blake Andres, Parker Bowen, Peyton Brien, Oliver Briggs, Ian Hall, Tucker Harwell, Tobias Houghton, Liam Huber, Jackson Link, Ruff Maddux, Alex McClellan, Garrett Murphy, Braden Meyers, Will Nahley, Will Nutter, Jack Rankin, Alexader Roberts, Daniel Skaff, Joseph Stevens, Andrew Stuphin, Chris, Tarquinio, Cole Turner, James Vest



Varsity Lacrosse

Row 1: Brandon Smith, Matthew Dobson, Harrison Graves, Addison Smith, Conner Mulloy, Sam Smith, Jack Hayles, Cal Bryan, Jackson Abbey, Gordon Pollock, Fenner Pollock, Jim Garrett, Jacob Kovick, David Wise, Taylor Asher; Row 2: Neil Richardson, Palmer Einstman, Mac Lassing, Rashad Townsend, Will Beasley, Rob Harvey, Benjamin Graves, Peter Briggs, Hayes Alley, Zach Smith, George Lazenby, Jackson Hannah, Chris Tarquinio, Jackson Siktberg, Clint Blackwell; Not Pictured: Gabe Mendoza.

JV Soccer

Camden Lee, Rett Holzapfel, Brycen Brown, Andrew Duffey, James McFadden, Jake McSween, Joel Elasy, Will Presnell, Brandon Glacer, Blake Robison, Hunt Smith, James McKnight, Alex Massad, Robert Cowan, Nikhil Peterson, Caleb Tolbert, Luke McSween, Jude Hammoud, Centre King, Jonathan Brown,Jake Lawrence

Varsity Soccer

Row 1: Coach Hardin, Coach Ward, Jake McSween, Luke Bernatavitz, Cole Deal, Wes Richardson, Ellis Moore, Henry Hybert, Colin Snell, Rett Holzaphel, Alex Bulgarino, Watson Dill, Camden Lee; Row 2: Coach Cheevers, Hunt Smith, Jack O'Brien, Zac Jernigan, Collin Ragsdale, Christian Williams, Chase Meluch, Will Emerson, William Porter, Andrew Duffey, Ethan Way, Coach Klausner.

Varsity Tennis

Row 1: Matthew Bulow, Campbell Cook, Richard Cummins, Baylor Sai, Hugh Graham, Ben Ramon, John Morphett, Ben Elasy; Row 2: George Harwell, Rishi Mallipeddi, Sims Lance, Cole Thornton, Frist Allen, John Spurgeon, Coach Davidson.

Varsity Track & Field

Row 1: Sam Curry, Austin Streety, Parker O'Neal, Zach Garfinkel, Charles West, Bronson Bell, Will Eskew, Grant Green, Darrius Southwell, Charlie Ma, Jamison Russ, James Harris, Casey Newell; Row 2: Josh Okai-Tetteh, Montgomery Owen, Robert Rolfsen, Will Peters, Will Gray, Oronde Pendergrass, Cameron Wade, Stephen Richey, Harold Turks, D'On Coofer, Asher Curnutte, Joe Moxley; Row 3: Rueben Dockery, Micah Battle, Andrew Hudon, Tom Peters, Alden Ferguson, Hunter Hamilton, Ben Doyte, Charlie Buffkin, Mark Lillard, Reilly Dodd, Riley Stenson, Hamilton Garber, Dan Parks; Row 4: John Farr, Ty Chandler, Michael Owings, Nick German, Houston Hartle, Hugh Sullivan, Sam Dugan, McClain Portis, William Barton, John Curry, Mack Smithing, Cord Wilson; Row 5: Michael McGuire, Tillman Dean, Wiley Martin, Michael Lee, Ford Brewer, Jackson Owen, Tim Buchanan, KP Frazier, Joseph Scowden, Jesse Turner, Conner Brown, Alex Hasse, Stephen Dean, William Petroni, Graham Ragsdale, Richard White.

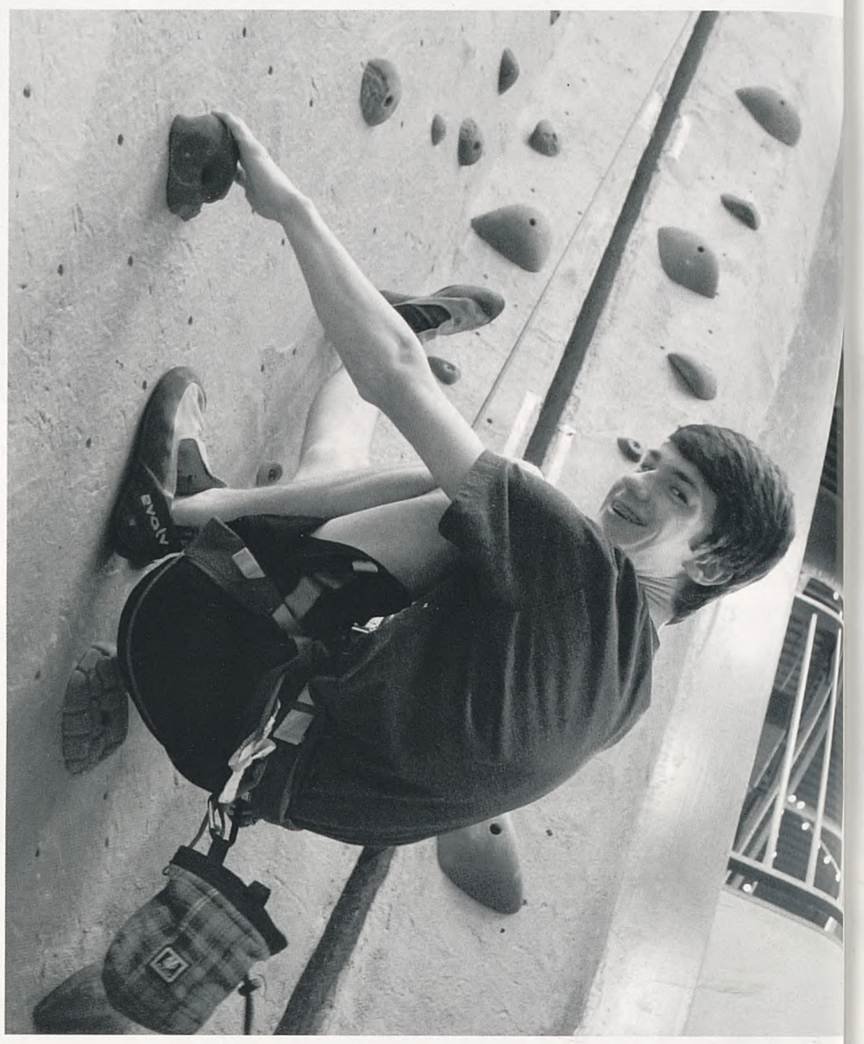
Trap & Skeet

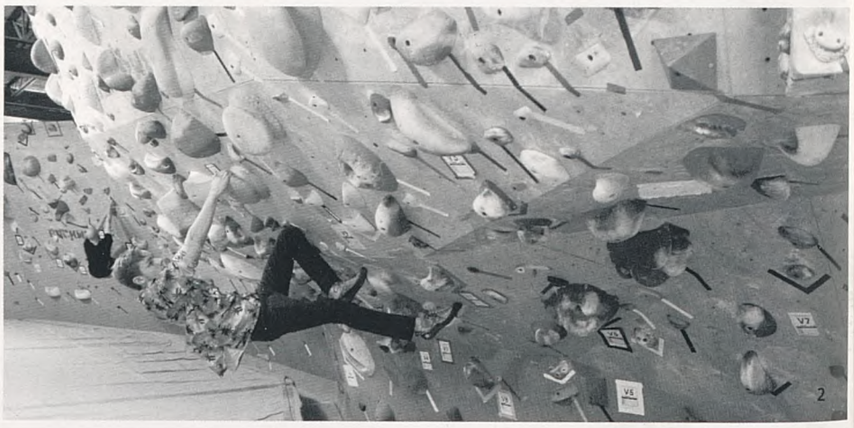
Row 1: Doug Gaw, Patrick Terry, Carter McClellan, Matthew Haley, Connor Krumm, Joseph Hatcher, William Kinard, John Dinkins, Mac Fleming, Robert Cain; Row 2: Bo Osgood, Aubrey Greene, Duncan McGinn, Nick Sartain, Jack Pickel, Tanner Noonan, Joe Waller, Holland Lund, Perry Matthews, Nick Ray; Row 3: Magnus Campos, Wyeth Patton, Jack Benson, Harrison Wachtler, Mark Floyd, Brinton Hoover, William Hall, Brodie Poe, Max Turner, Russell McGinn, Caleb Jernigan; Not Pictured: Sam Garrett, Thomas Bellet.

Climbing

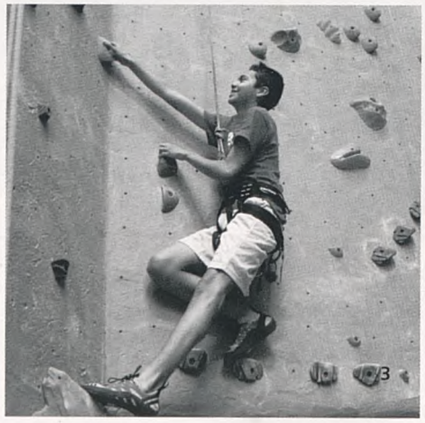
Making Their Way Up

This year was a busy one for the Climbing group. There were no designated captains but there were more experienced climbers who help the less experienced ones learn the ropes. Henry, Bryce Ardisson, and Thomas DeRoche were some of the participates who fulfilled that role in the group. The number of climbers stayed fairly consitent during the course of the year with vacancies during the change in seasons being quickly filled by other climbers. There are not formal competitions for the clibing group yet through their four days of climbing each week three at Climb Nashville West and one at Climb Nashville East, the students built their skills. limb Nashville affords the students the ability to practice on both lower and taller walls of all different inclines. Thomas DeRoche did competed in a local speed competition against climbers of all ages where he finished third, behind two American Nija Warriors. The group is looking forward to another fun year ascending to new heights in 2016.





Luke Speyer works on his climbing skills while traversing this part of the course.



Feature Image. Thomas DeRoche takes a break from his vertical climb to smile for a photo. 1. T. Whitton reaches for his next hold. 2. Bryce Ardisson, as one of the more seasoned climbers, served as a mentor to newer members. 3. Carlos Soria-Garcia is clipped in for safety as he begins his ascent.

Cricket

Dominating the Competition

This year's Cricket team made another strong showing. The President was Turner Johnson, assisted by Vice-President Jake Evans. Throughout their extensive training and practice they honed their skills and prepared for the final challenge. In the final, which represented the team's 5th consecutive state title the entire match came down to the final ball and ended with a victory for the "home" team by the razor-thin margin of 53 runs to 52. This narrowest of victories came against the tough competitors from MBA. The winning team consisted of Turner Johnson, Mike Miccioli, Ben Evans, Alex Bulgarino, William Stewart, and Warner Lamar as seen in image 2. With this type of strong showing over the past few years the team has high hopes for the years to come.

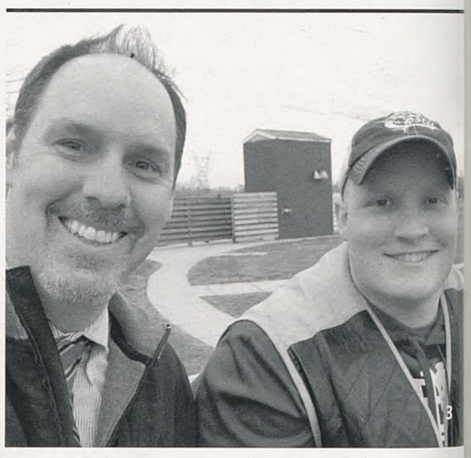
Feature Image. The MBA team dominated their main competition, MBA. 1. The Cricket table at Activity Fair was a busy place to be with students signing up left and right. 2. The winning team included MVP Mike Miccioli, second from the left, holding the cup.

The cricket bat is one the most important tools in for the player's toolbox.

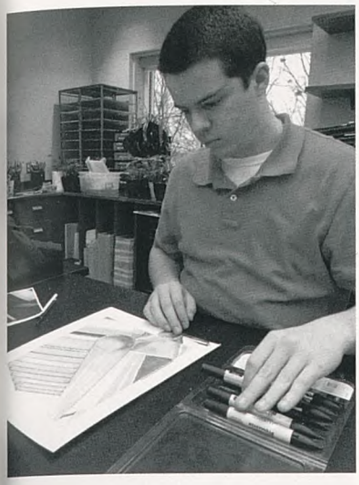
Trap & Skeet

Taking Aim at the Title

The 2016 MBA Trap & Skeet Team completed their second season shooting as a varsity team with the Tennessee Scholastic Clay Target Program. Thirty-two high school students competed, and several new school records were set during the season. The team improved each match and represented the Big Red well in the Region Championship on June 4th at the and the State Championship on June 25th at the Nashville Gun Club, the team's home field. This season, nine shooters turned in fifteen perfect rounds (25 straight), and the team high squad score was broken several times and now sits at 466, which was shot at the Region Championship. Joe Waller '17 and Duncan McGinn '17 tied the individual high score (95) set by Brodie Poe '16 at the State Championship last year. Mark Floyd '16 qualified again this season to compete in the Junior Olympic National Championship in Colorado Springs this summer.



Feature Image. The team takes on the competition at the Sporting Clays State Championship. 1. Aubrey lines up during the Regional competition. 2. Mark Floyd after his qualifying for the Junior Olympics again this year. 3. The team and Coach Ardisson welcomed back teammate Sam Garrett this season. 4. The team at bunker practice, honing their skills.



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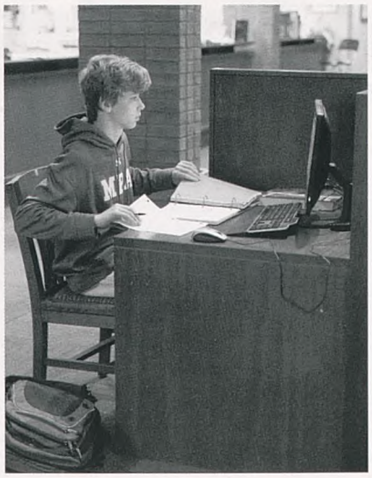

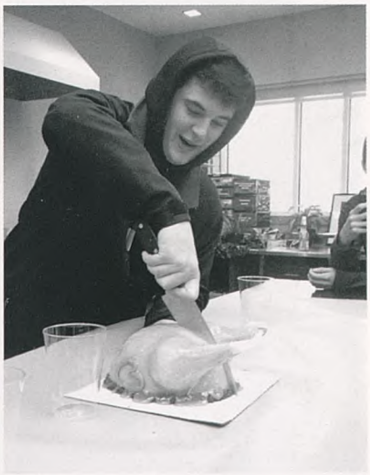

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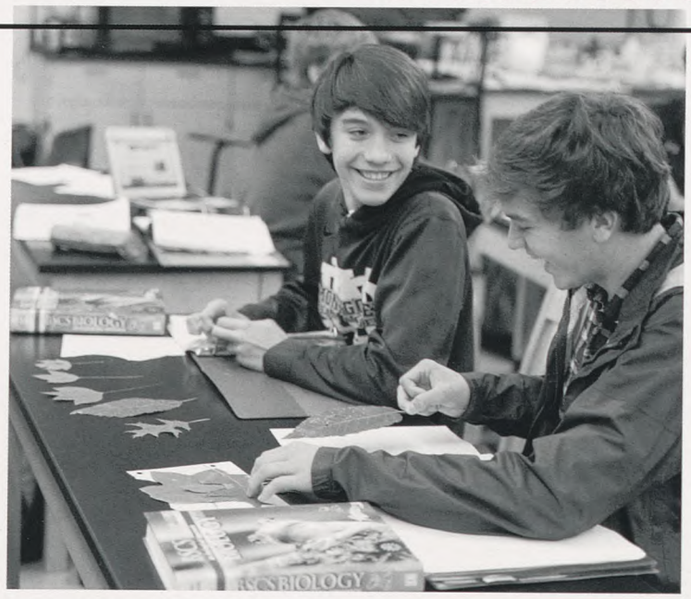

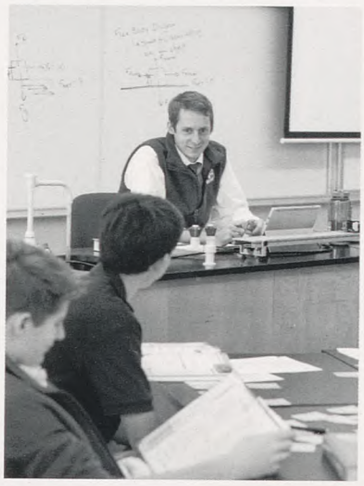

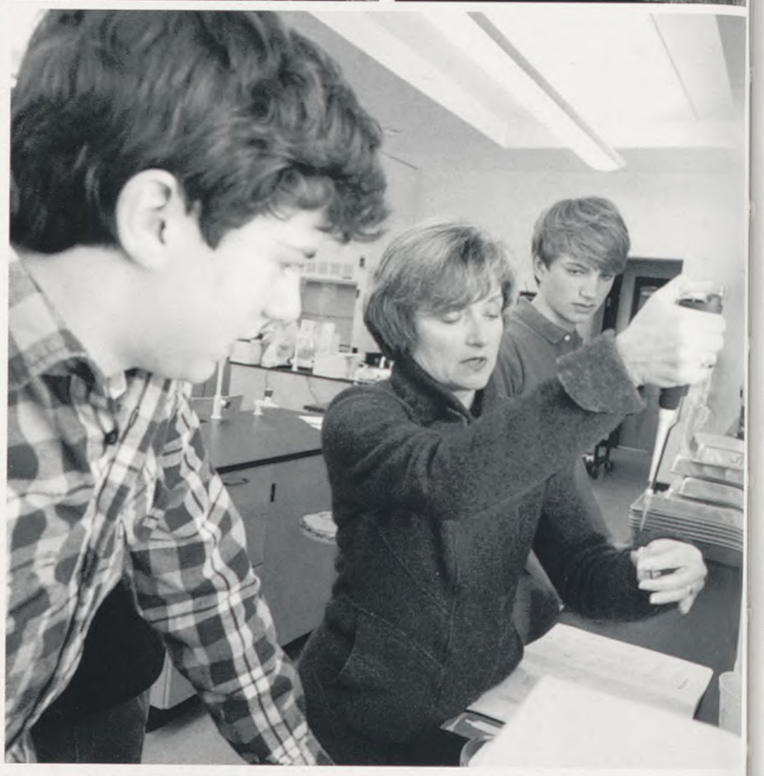

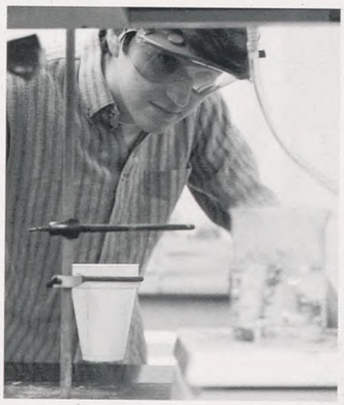

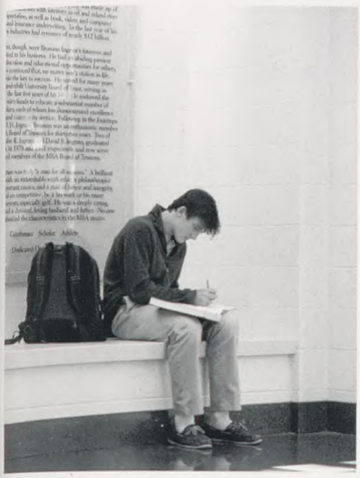

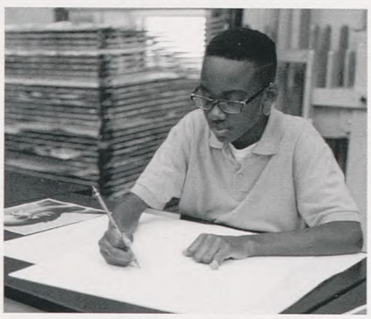

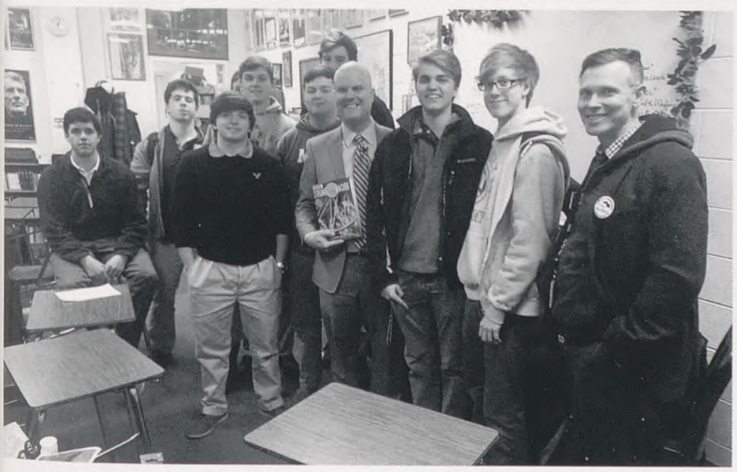

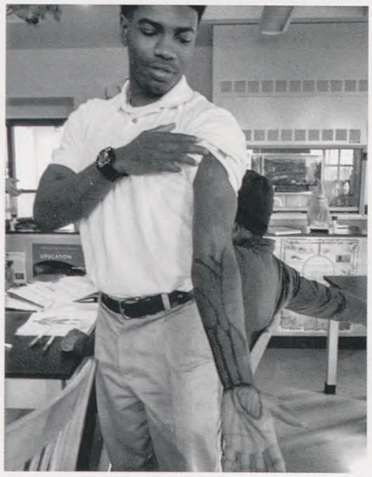

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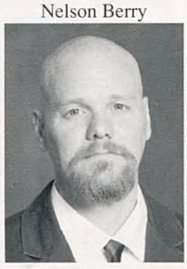
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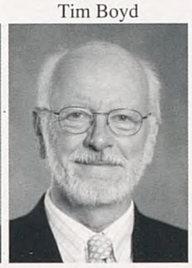
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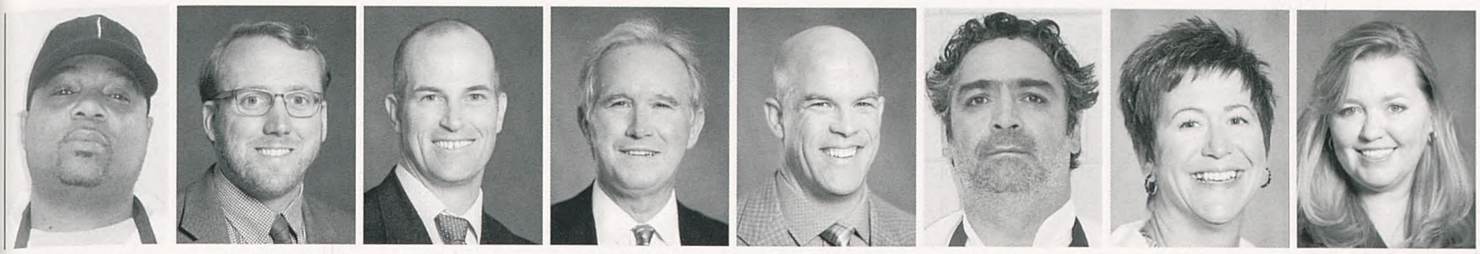

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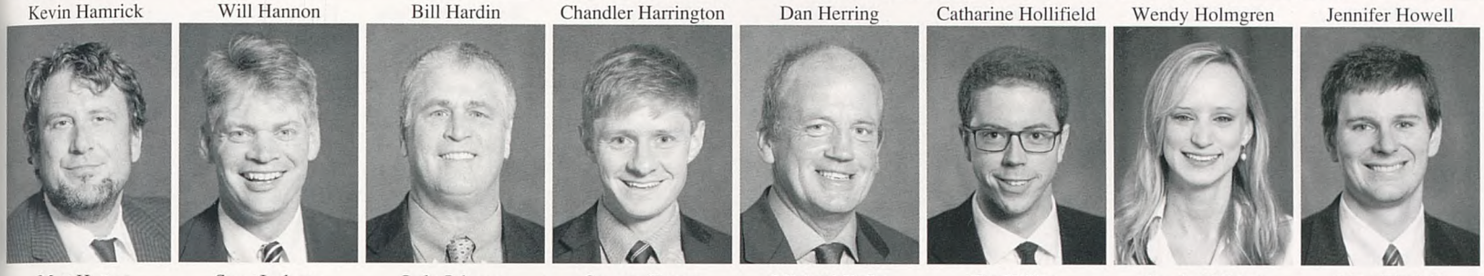

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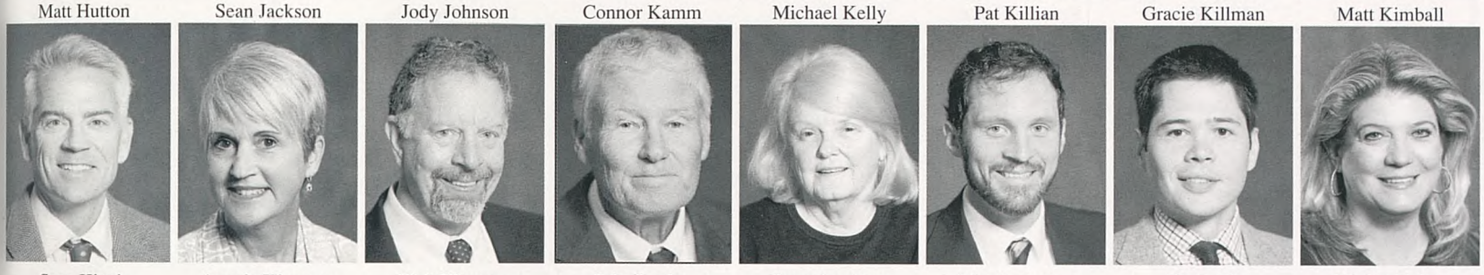

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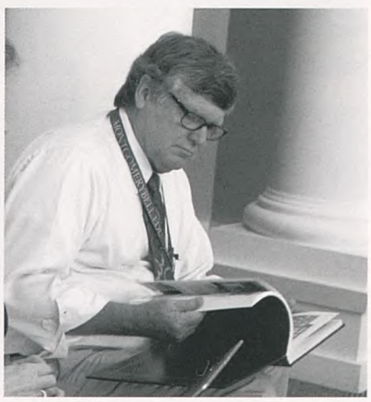

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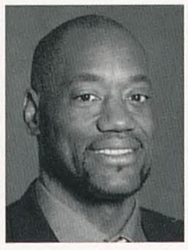
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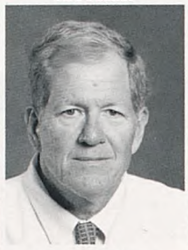
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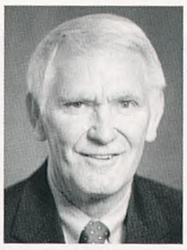
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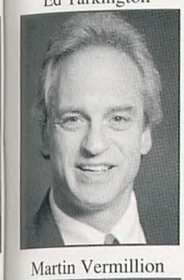
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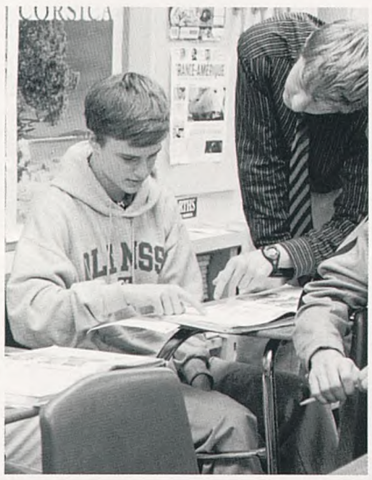
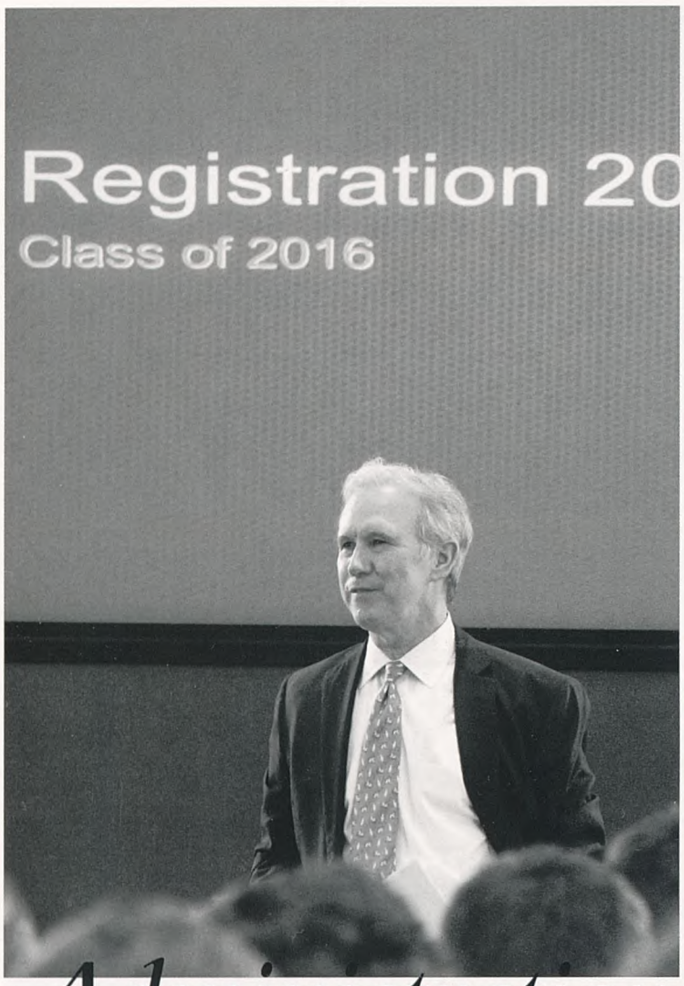
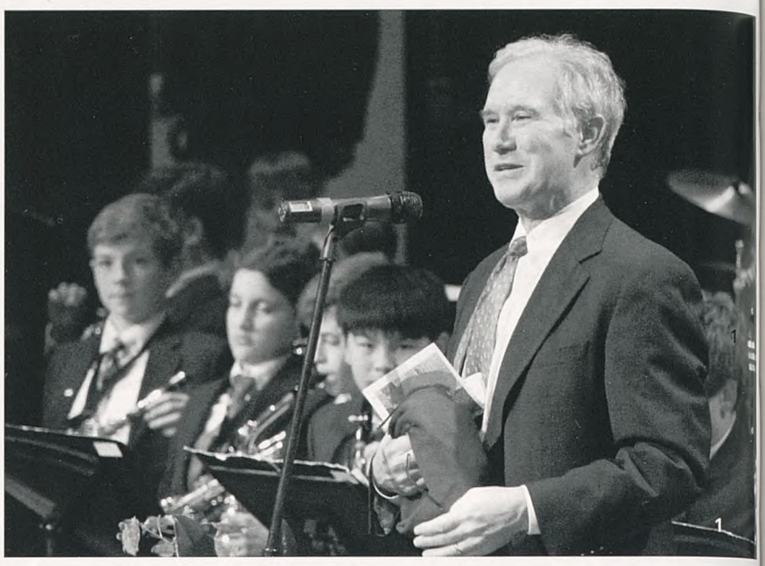


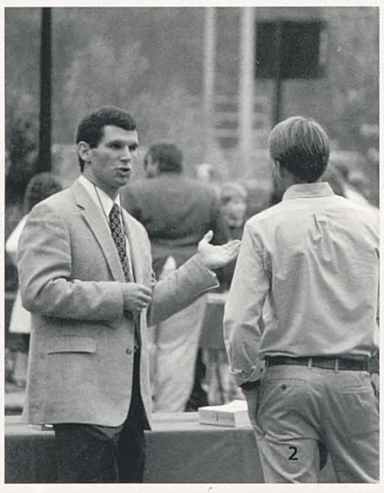


Administration

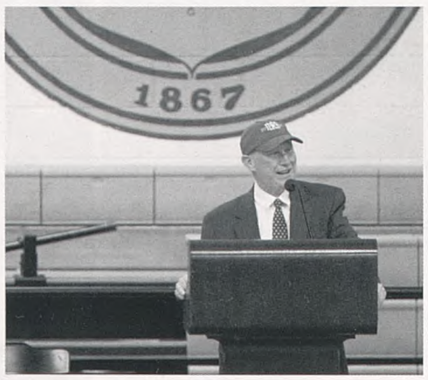
Holding Strong

This year MBA's administration welcomed a new Academic Dean, Dr. Tim Boyd. Many students already knew Dr.Boyd and his brilliant accent from many years of teaching history. The students and faculty both backed and supported him in his new role at school. This position seems to fit him well and we are happy to see him enjoy the position as well. Another new member to MBA's administration is Mr. Mark Tipps. He replaced Mr. O'Neal as the Athletic Director and the job seems to be fitting him well. This was his first year at MBA starting as a teacher of Government and Economics but he rose up the latter quickly to become the Athletic Director. MBA's administration was tested during the middle of the year as Mr. Gioia had to take a leave of absence because of sickness. The individuals held the school together greatly and did not seem to waver as Mr. Gioia healed. The school is more than glad that Mr.Gioia was able to return to campus with a great prognosis, he is the true staple to MBA's resilience and success. We look forward to many more years with the leaders of Montgomery Bell Academy.





Feature image. Mr. Gioia prepares to give a speech to the senior class on registration day. 1. Mr. Gioia addresses Junior School Parents at the Junior School Art Capstone Evening. 2. Mr. Norton talks to a perspective parent on admissions preview day. 3. Dr. Boyd joins in on the fun on the South Aftrica trip. 4. Mrs.Stewert begins the night of music and theater at the Junior School Art Capstone Evening.

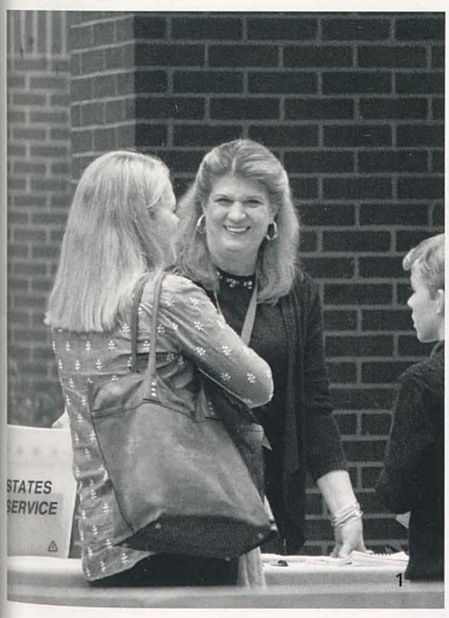


Mr. Gioia addresses the Mothers and Sons at the Mother and Son breakfast. It is one of Mr. Gioia's favorite events.

Admissions, Advancement, Alumni

Keeping MBA Moving

The offices of Admissions, Advancement and Alumni keep MBA moving forward. Through their combined efforts MBA is able to recruit wonderful students to fill the campus with new ideas, maintain and build wonderful facilities on campus, and keep alumni up to date on all of the new things happening. Each year in late fall the Admissions Office hosts their biggest event of the year with the Admissions Preview Day. Students and their parents from around the area come on campus for a taste of what MBA has to offer. The Advancement Office works tirelessly year round through campaigns like the Annual Fund to raise money to maintain facilities, provide scholarships, and build and renovate spaces campus. This year the Advancement Office helped inaugurate the newly renovated Visual Arts spaces which were fully redone over the summer. This was only one of many events put on through the Advancement Office which included celebrity chef dinners and Grandparents' Day. The Alumni Office keeps the network of MBA connected through publications and events such as the Young Alumni Lunch and Alumni Hockey game just to name a few.



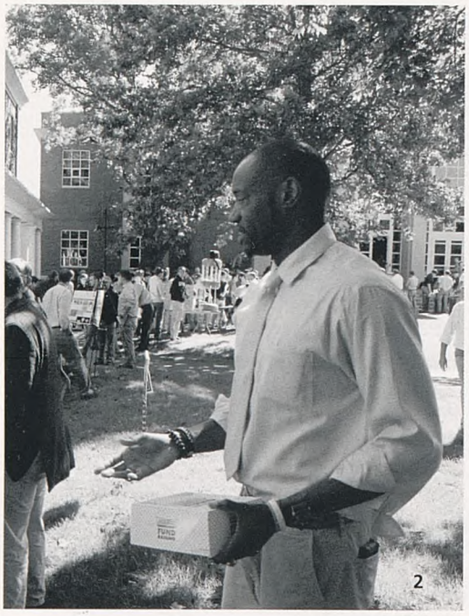
Feature Image. Mr. Ferrell is all smiles during another successful Admissions Preview Day with record crowds in attendance. 1. Mrs. Lechleighter helps a mom and her son find their way during Admissions Preview Day. 2. Mrs. Lechleighter may have found a new friend to add to her collection of toys that keeps visitors and students entertained throughout the year. 3. Alumni and master craftsman of Belle Meade Bourbon invited the faculty and staff to tour the facilities one afternoon. 4. Mrs. Harrington speaks to prospective parents from a unique perspective as the parent of her own student at MBA.

Mrs. Travis, a part of the Advancement Office, greets people at one of their many successful events on campus.

Athletics

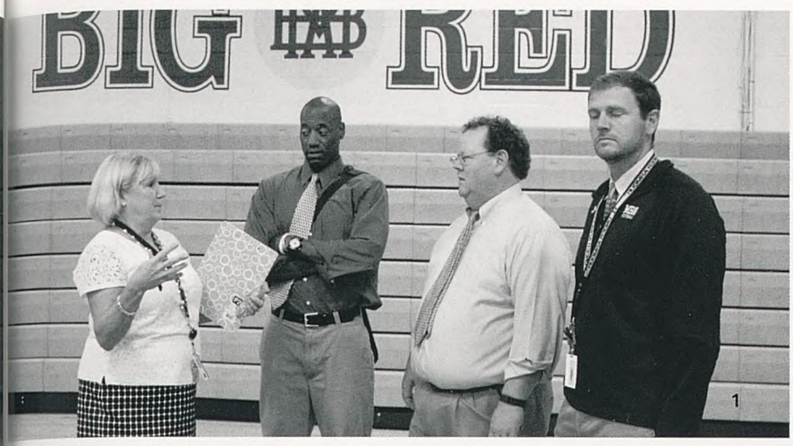
Keeping MBA Competing

This year was one of many transitions in the Athletics Department. As the year got underway, Mr. Tipps moved into the role of Athletic Director after the departure of Mr. O'Neal. Ms. Killman joined the staff and moved into the front office after Ms. Lamb left MBA early in the year. She has been a great addition to the MBA community and handles all kinds of logistics of scheduling the numerous teams, buses, and facilities. The Athletic Department is responsible for coordinating the schedules of all of the teams, their practice and playing facilities, as well as the coaching staff of each team. This year the department supported the successful seasons of many teams including a number of State Runner Ups. With all of these changes MBA continues to grow and evolve while supporting its student athletes.



Mrs. Lechleiter was just one of the many people who welcomed Ms. Killman to the MBA community.

Feature Image. Mr. Tipps, in hi s role of Athletic Director hosted the two Athletic Signing events on campus for graduating seniors. 1. Coaches Simpson and Simpson make a great father and son coaching duo. 2. Coach McMahan is not only part of the coaching staff but also serves as the Associate Dean of the 9th and 10th Grade. 3. Coach Vernacchio hands out Predidential Fitness Awards at the Junior School Awards Convocation as the Assistant Director of Athletics-Junior School. 4. Coaches Ardisson and McMahan celebrated their thirteenth year on The Hill this year; they started at MBA on the same day.



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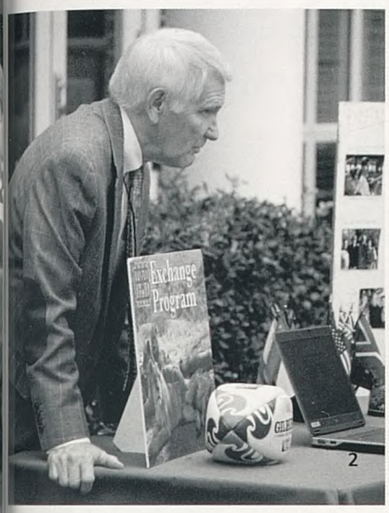
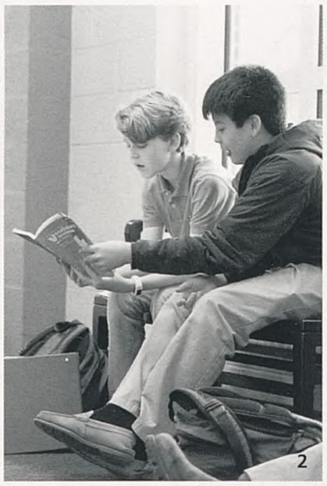


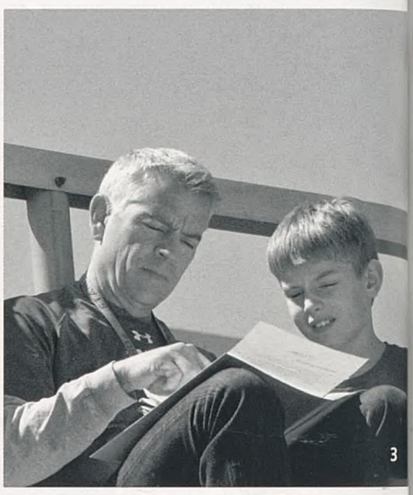
Feature Image. Mr. Klausner; counselor, educator, and legendary soccer coach, addresses the students as part of the Patch Ceremony. 1. Mrs. Moon, Mr. McMahan, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Moran talk together during the college fair. 2. Mr. Tillman explains the benefits of the exchange program to prospective students at the Admissions Preview Day. 3. Ms. Moon keeps everything moving smoothly for the college fair and in the office each day. 4. Students and their visitors enjoy dinner in the Dining Hall.

Ms. Maddux is always working with college reps to the benefit of MBA students. These types of informal conversations build up a relationship that can help later in the application process for students.

Always There to Help

The Counseling office is divided into two main functions; college counseling and guidance counseling. The mission of each group is the same, help students as they move forward. The offices stay busy all year with everything from guest speakers, college fair, Big Red Block, and AP exams. This year the addition of the Big Red Block allowed students to have a time and space for sharing and exploring what it mean to be a young man in society today. The students always have a place to go with the guidance office, led by Mrs. Scholer. The group of counselors work with students to help them through everything that may come up in life. New initiatives like the Big Red Block help build the relationships between the counseling staff and students before there is a need so that if studetns ever want to talk to someone they already have that relationsip. The counseling staff is also in the classroom, on the field, and coordinating service so all of the faces are familiar to students. The college counseling office starts the job of ushering students through the admissions process at the end of their junior year and it continues until May when students make their final choices for the fall. These offices are always working in the best interest of the MBA community and the beneficiaries are the studetns.



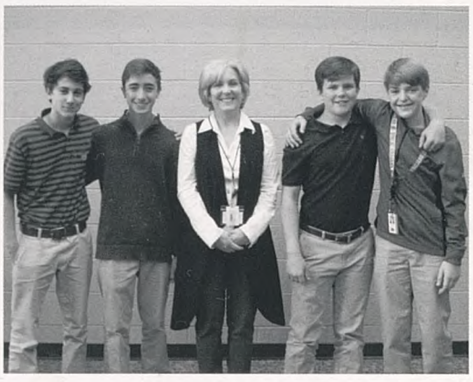


English

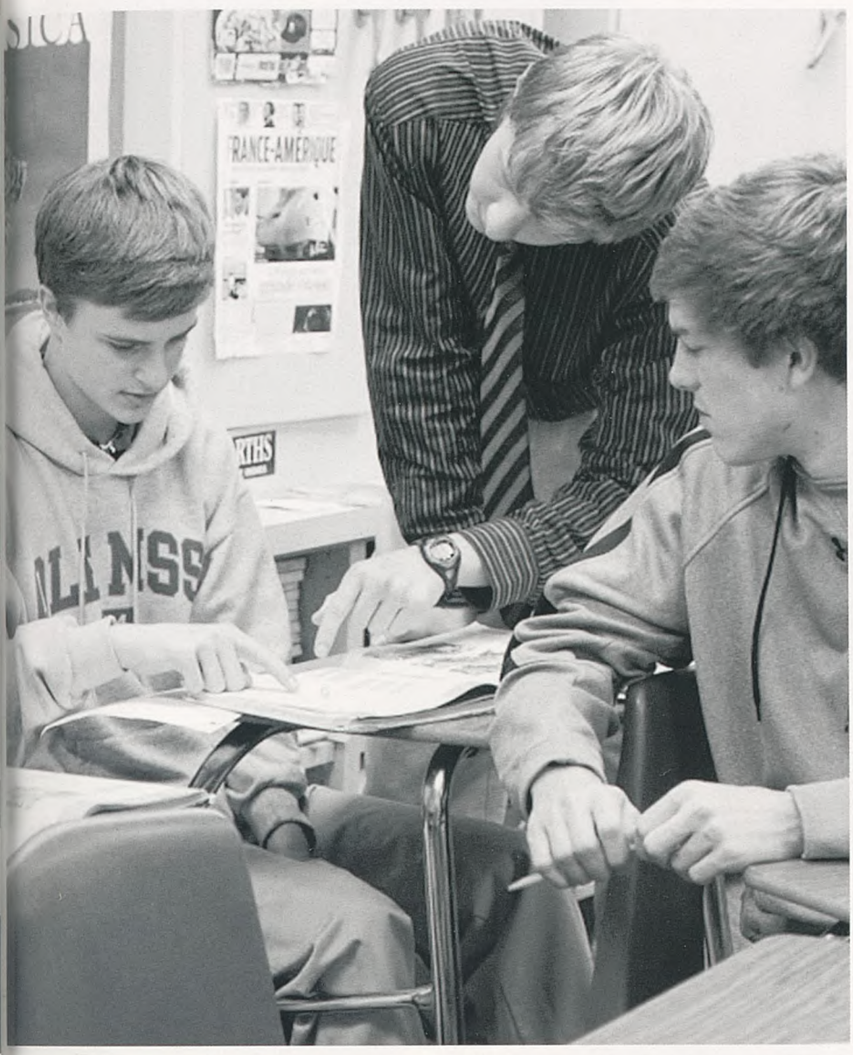
Reading, Writing, & More

The English Department this year was led by Mr. Haywood Moxley as department chair. MBA welcomed Mr. Bassett to the department this year as well as said goodbye to Dr. Young. The department is made up of a number of dedicated teacher who guide students through everything from diagramming sentences to interpreting the works of William Shakespeare. Although students tend to dread working on their themes they are a solid part of the core of the MBA English experience and build students into stronger writers and organizers of information. The English Department also coordinated a number of writing and oratory competitions throughout the year. Students submitted works of short stories, poems, and plays at various times throughout the year with awards being presented at the both the Junior School and High School Awards Convocations. This year also marked the publication of Dr. Tarkington's first novel *Only Love Can Break Your Heart* which included a reading and reception in the Dead Poet's Society Room.

Feature Image. Mr. Anderson hands out an ward to 1) Miss Raines talks through an english assignment with McGavo Cooper. 2. Students working on the vocabulary skills before a quiz. 3. It never a bad time for Mr. Kinch to give feedback to a student, including at Field Day. 4. Mr. Russ gives students instructions for their next assignment.



Mrs. Roberts poses with the finalists of the Recitation competition; Aden Barton and John Thornton. Ethan Lilly and Thomas Peterson.



Foreign Language

Beauty Through Words

The Foreign Language Department seems to get stronger and stronger each year with the National Exam scores becoming better and better. With that being said MBA is losing one of the most beloved Spanish teachers it has had, Señor Kamm. Señor Kamm taught many students not only to love the Spanish language but also to love the culture and art of many spanish speaking countries around the world. MBA will miss Señor Kamm's passion for teaching and wish him all the best. The Foreign Language Department held the 2nd annual Carter Cup, in which France, who placed second to last the year before, won with and upset against Spain. This soccer tournament is a great way for students to represent their studied languages and burn off some stress from the classroom. It will certainly be a tradition for years to come. The National Language exams come around every year which mean students have the chance to prove themselves and compare with other students around the country. This year MBA students tested phenomenally in all languages, taking home gold, silver, and bronze medals. It is evidence of the wonderful work being done by MBA's language department.

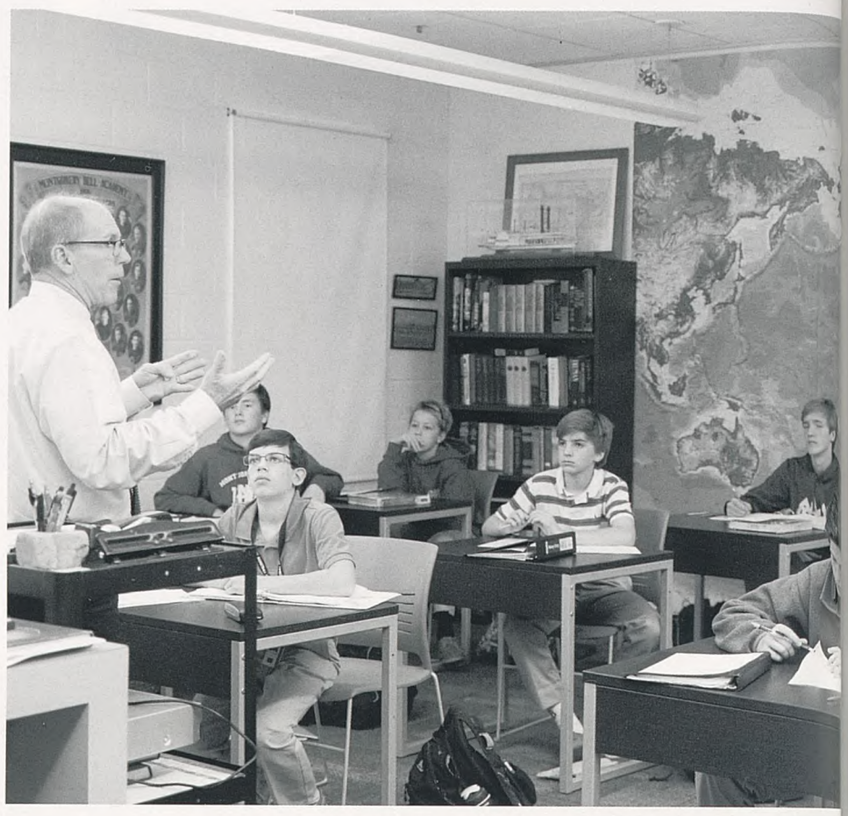
Feature Image. Señor Kamm helps Addison Smith with a section on his homework. 1. Ms. Zhang and Monsieur Trotter stands at the Chinese and French Club tables during the Activity Fair. 2. "Homeworkeus: God of Stress, Student Agony, and Exams" says this Junior School Latin project. 3. Students test their speaking skills in the language lab. 4. Ms. Zhang, Monsieur Trotter, and Magistra Ellery talk to interested students about the Foreign Language Department at the Admission Preview Day.

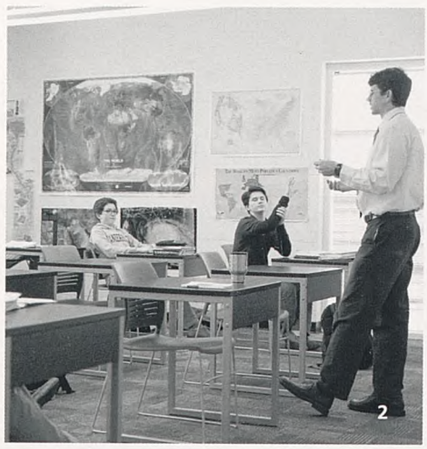
Señora Victoria and Señora Lanigna stand at the Spanish Club table at the Activity Fair waiting for students to sign up.

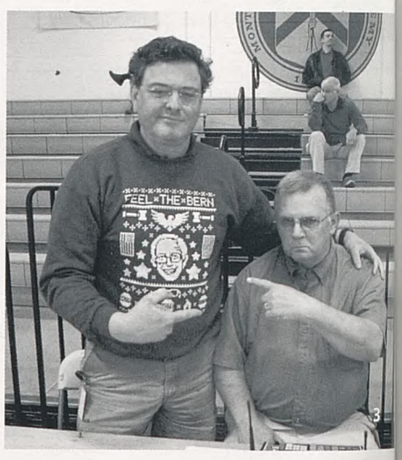
History

In the Making

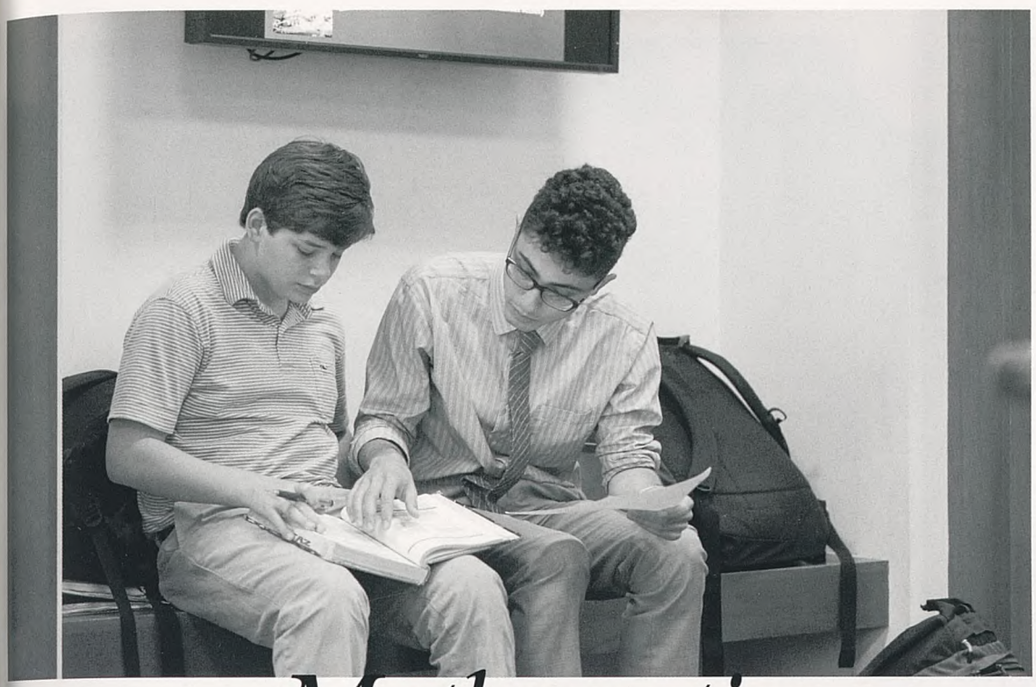
This year the History Department was led by Dr. Clay Bailey who completed his twentieth year at MBA. The department continues to offer an array of studies from Geography to Advanced Palcement classes. The department welcomed Mr. Story and Mr. Tipps to their honored ranks this fall. These new teachers continue the tradition of excellence of the faculty in the History Department. Classes worked to expand the knowledge of the students and force them to think critically through activities both in and out of the classroom. Activities included the requisite papers, tests, and presentations but also included innovative activities like an Enlightenment inspired coffee house and guest speakers like resident JFK conspiracy expert, Mr. David Norton.One can only hope that next year will provide an equal amount of excitement for the students and teachers.







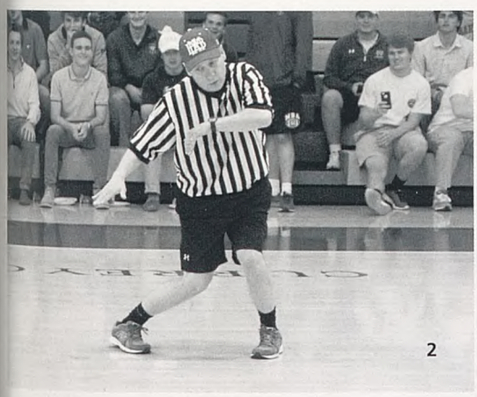
Feature Image: Mr. Brown lectures a cultural geography class. 1. Mr. Clark's AP European Hisotry class create an Enlightenment inspired coffee house, where they shared many great ideas and theories about the world. 2. Mr. Russ works with this class of Junior School history scholars in the making. 3. Col. Sharbel feels the Bern...at least for the evening of the Student Faculty Basketball game to benefit Thistle Farms. 4. Micky Kelly has the answer for his Cultural Geography class.

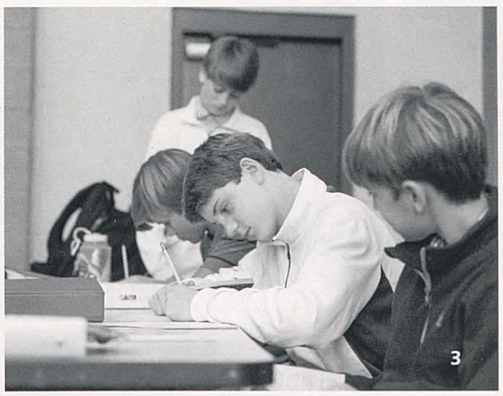


Mathematics

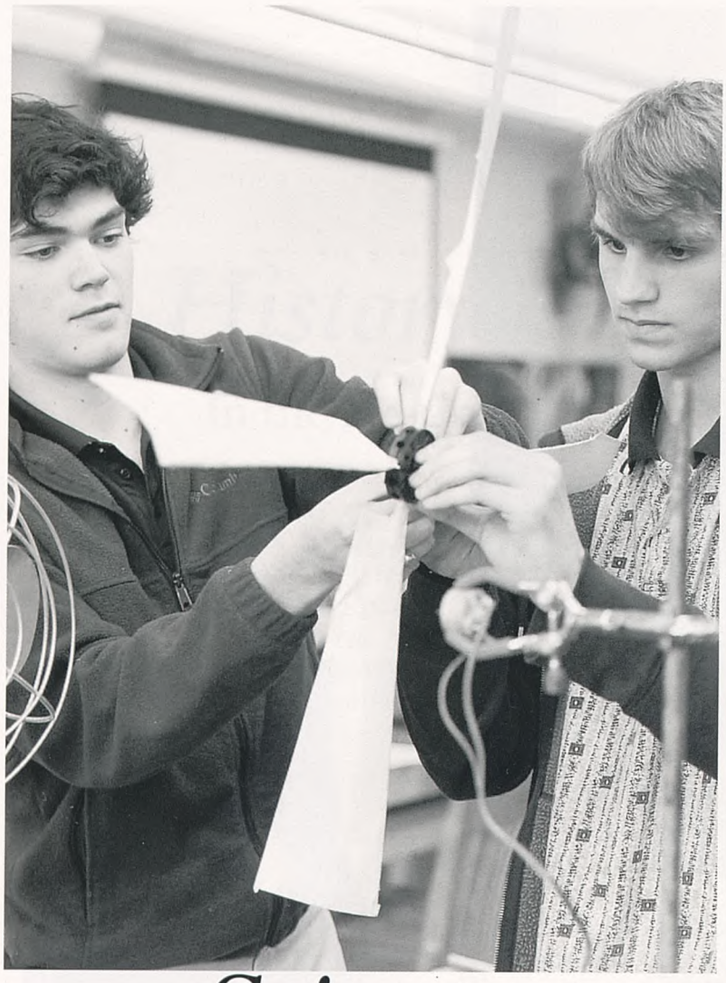
Making Sure it all Adds Up

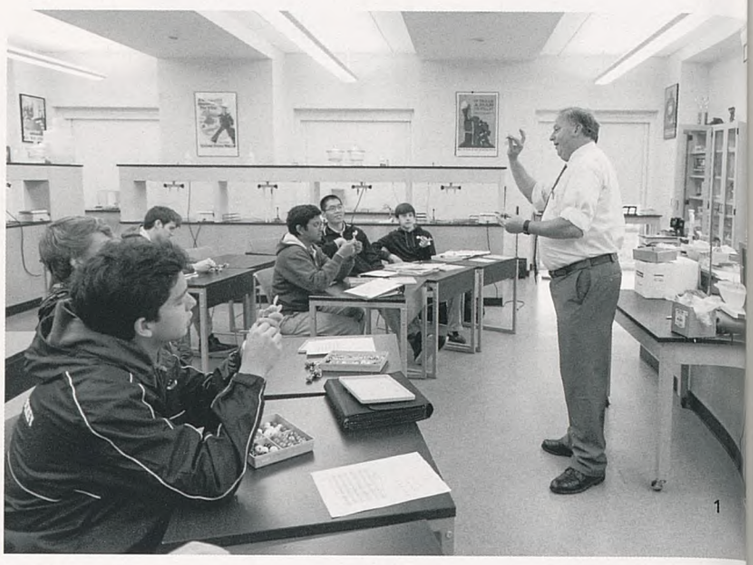
This year proved to be one with both changes and consistencies in the Mathematics Department. Mr. Soleiman joined the department this fall and Mr. Golenor continues to lead as department chair. The department, through a traditional sequence of required and elective courses, including a strong AP program in calculus, computer science, and statistics, attempts to provide each student with a background that prepares them for college and beyond. The students have the opportunity to compete in a number of competitions throughout the year including the National Math Exam d the ever competitive MathCounts. Students in math class benefit from more than 275 years of teach experience on The Hill. With that kind of experience it is no wonder that MBA produces some amazing Mathletes.

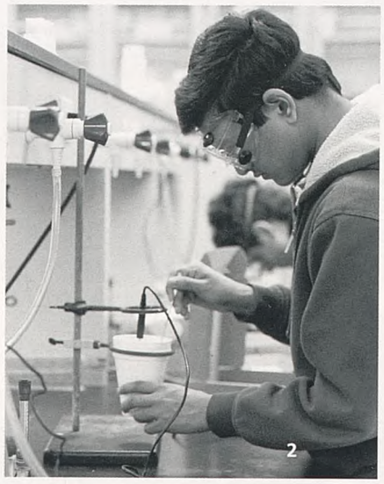




Feature Image. Mr. Soleiman helps Reagan Sparkswork through an equation. 1. Mr. Calico helps hand out the math awards to some of his Junior School students. 2. Mr. Wims breaks it down outside the classroom and to help Thistle Farms. 3. Math students study before their exam in Massey Commons. 4. Sam Meacham and Samuel Kirkpatrick receive their award from Mrs. Qian. 5. Due to her dedication and years of leadership at MBA and with MathCounts the Junior School portion of the yearbook was dedicated to Mrs. Qian.







Science

Up, Up , and Away

Led by the newely appointed department head Travis Barclay, the science department had another successful year. The Science Olympiad, Envirothon, Chemistry, and Physics teams all performed well in their perspective fields led by an experienced team of Dr. Dickens, Mr. Hannon, Dr. Carro, Dr. Marro, Mr. Barclay, Dr. Armstrong, Mr. Bullington, and Mr.Spiegl. This year was the last for biology and anatomy teacher Mrs. Holmgren, who was the first to bring the anatomy program to MBA and who will be retiring at the end of the school year. Her care in and out of classroom and leadership will be missed in the years to come. The department also acquired a generous gift of an interactive periodic table. This learning device with samples and presentations for each element will be an excellent tool in years to come for chemistry classes and an interesting thing to look at for the entire student body. Students look forward to many more labs and presentations about the excited world of science in the coming years.

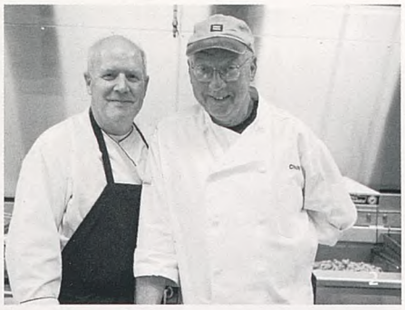
Feature Image. Seniors Alec Whitson and Chris Saxon work together to complete a lab. 1. Dr. Marro lectures his AP chemistry class using molecular models 2. AP chemistry student Yavin Alwis performs a thermodynamics lab 3. Mr. Hannon and Dr. Armstrong perform a demonstration at the activity fair 4. Mr. Spiegl and Dr. Dickens at the activity fair displaying the envirothon and science olympiad teams' success.

Mrs. Holmgren has been a wonderful teacher both in and out of the classroom and brought a continued passion for learning to her students over her years at MBA.

Support Staff

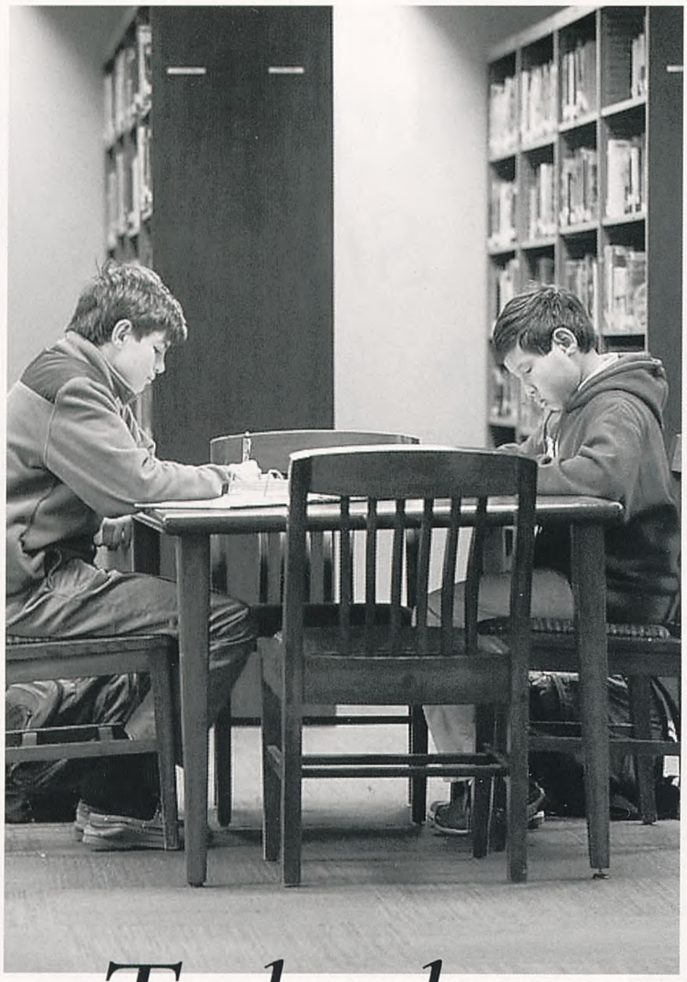
The Glue of MBA

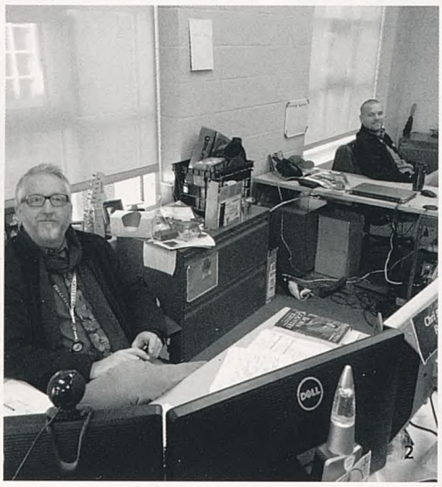
The support staff at MBA keeps the campus going. Every student looks forward to snack break and lunch, which the people at sage provide miraculously and genially as they serve. Thank you to Ms. Susan, Ms. Sherie, Ms. Montgomery, Ms. Shemika, and all the other kind employees helping behind the scenes everyday. We would also like to thank the main office staff who literally keep things from falling apart. Ms.Guye, Ms. Howell, and Ms. Powers, is the powerhouse of the school and are essential to the school's success. We would like to extend a special thank you to MBA's maintenance crew. Always having a smile on their face they break their back to keep the campus running smoothly. Mr.Norton, Mr. Bowman, Mr. Mario, Mr. Deresu, Mr. Schlichting, Mr. Petit, and Mr. Thurman can constantly be seen setting up chairs, delivering packages, fixing lights, and maintaining the campus's beauty. Thank you to all that work they do to make the students' days easier, it is greatly appreciated.



Feature Image. Ms. Guye and Ms. Powers work tirelessly to keep MBA running smoothly. 1. Mr. Bowman finishes repainting the cannons after their surprise weak purple coating. 2, Mr. Walsnovich helps prepare another celebrity chef dinner. A goes on behind the scenes to make these events happen but they are also a great time. 3. Ms. Susan and Boaz Kelner stop for a quick picture. 4. Ms. Sherie serves with a smile everyday.

Ms. Shamika has helped serve MBA students foe years and has become a great friend to the school.





Technology & Library

Help and Knowledge

The Library is a place for students to find books for personal amusement or class and a place to get together for group study. Under the sight of Mrs. Klausner and Mr. Quinn, one side of the library remains open and encourages group study while the other side is for silent personal study. The Library underwent some renovations for the 2015-2016 school year after some wild flooding that happened toward the end of the year before. The renovations allowed Mrs. Klausner and Mr.Quinn to help design the library so they could provide the best service to students and teachers. Technology in the library showed itself in the arrival of a Virtualy Reality headset brought in by Mr. Quinn which students enjoyed. The IT Department welcomed Mr. Jack Chambers to its ranks. The Tech Department is always a smiling group and under the leadership of Mr.Ardisson they have done a wonderful job keeping MBA's internet, email, assemblies, and many other things running smoothly.

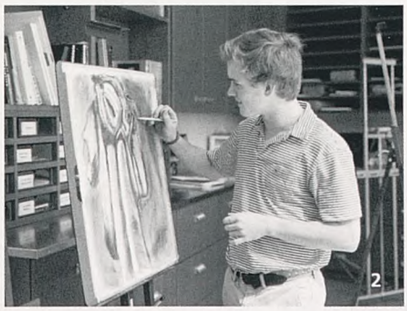
Feature Image. Junior Schoolers enjoy group study in the library. 1. Mrs. Klausner keeps the Library humming smoothly and provides guidance and support to teachers and students alike. 2. The Tech Department wins most professional looking and best view on campus. 3. Mr.Reynolds enjoys some disc golf when he's not wokring as an English teacher or for the Tech Department. 4. Sophomore Anderson Flack studies silently in the upstairs of the Library.

Mr. reynolds, Mr. Ardisson and Mr. Chambers get in on a selfie. The smiles and personality of these two brighten the days of many on campus and they even take their show on the road for the football team so everyone can enjoy the live broadcast.

Visual & Performing Arts

Theater, Music, and Art

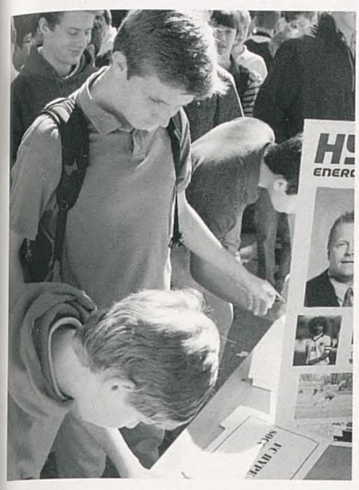
The Visual and Performing Arts Department has had one of its best years in all of its history at MBA. Starting the year, the visual art classes spent some time drawing outside while the finishing touches were put on the new rooms. However, once the building was finished and the almost 700 boxes unpacked the new rooms inspired students to create wonderful pieces of art. The Theater produced amazing plays including Dr. Fuller's first competition one act at MBA, an adaptation of As I Lay Dying. The Student Directed One-Acts were a blast as always bringing comedy and drama to the Big Red stage. The Music Department had to say goodbye to Mr. Steve Rundberg who had become a legend around campus. Mr. Rundberg arrived at MBA and created the Jazz Band which has since grown into a central part of the Music Program. He also created the Rock Band which plays at every football game. It will be exciting to see where the Music Program goes next. All around it was a great year for the Fine Arts at MBA with many students finding their passions and succeeding with them.



Feature Image. Mr. Rundberg's son, Devon, played saxophone under his farther's guidance during his time at MBA. 1. The well dressed junior school singers showed their skill in many concerts this year. 2. Senior Owen Currey experiments with charcoal for his AP Portfolio. 3. Junior School theater students act out their original sketch for class. 4. The Fine Art Department welcomed Miss Valentine, who enjoyed her first year with brand new classrooms.

Richard Speight ('88) talks and visits with the senior theater class.

Clubs



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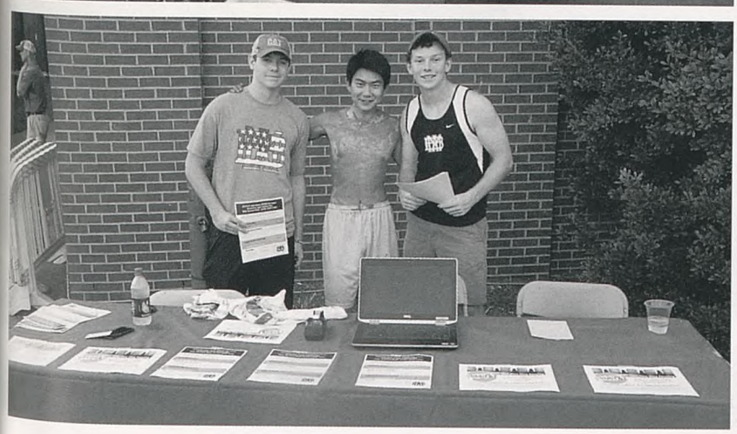

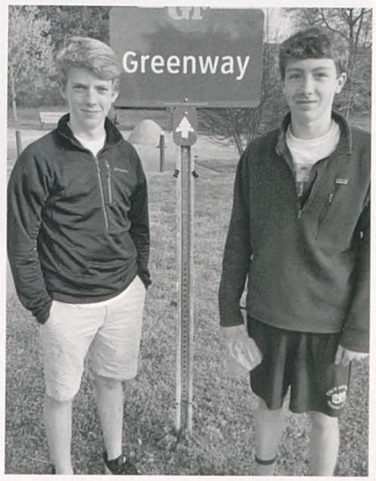
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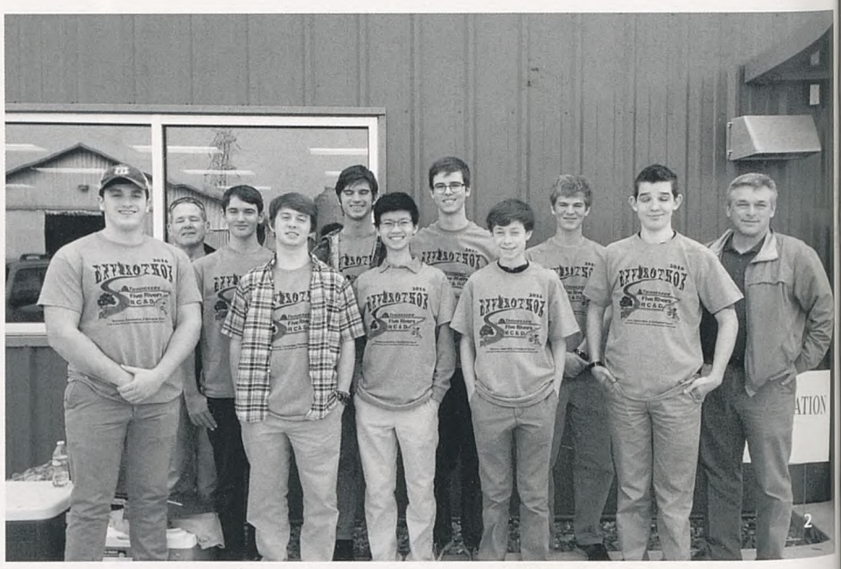
Academic Competitions

Another Inspiring Year

The 2015-2016 academic year was once again a fantastic year for the academic competitions. The Envirothon Team fared well in the Five Rivers RC&D Council regional competition on April 14th, with Team A (Charlie Bailey, Asher Curnutte, John Cooper, Liam Jameson and Joe Moxley) placing first and Team B (Sam DeCoster, Parker O'Neal, John Whitaker and Alvin Zhang) placing third. Envirothon is a national high school competition with a practical outdoor component requiring knowledge in areas of Forestry, Aquatics, Wildlife, Soils and this year's special focus problem, Invasive Species. This year marks MBA's 12 region wins in the past 13 years. The MathCounts team continued its streak by winning the city MathCounts tournament for the 14th straight time. Congratulations to the following mathletes: 3rd place Thomas Zeuthen; 4th place Zach Brown; 5th place Baylor Sai; 9th place Colin Tang; 10th place Alex Kalams; 12th place Andrew Bulgarino. Science Olympaid had a strong year bringing home trophies throughout the year. Led by seniors Brinton Hoover, Rishi Mallipeddi, and others the team had many young participants which shows that the team will be strong in the future.

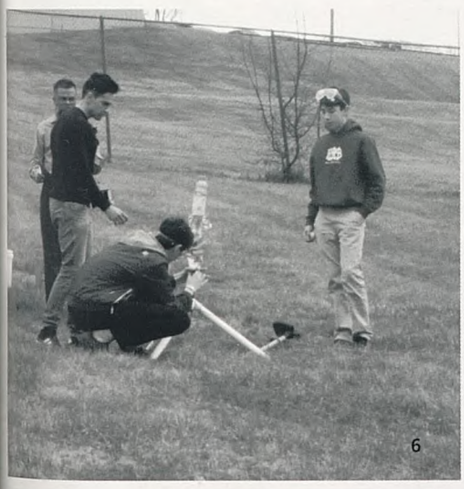


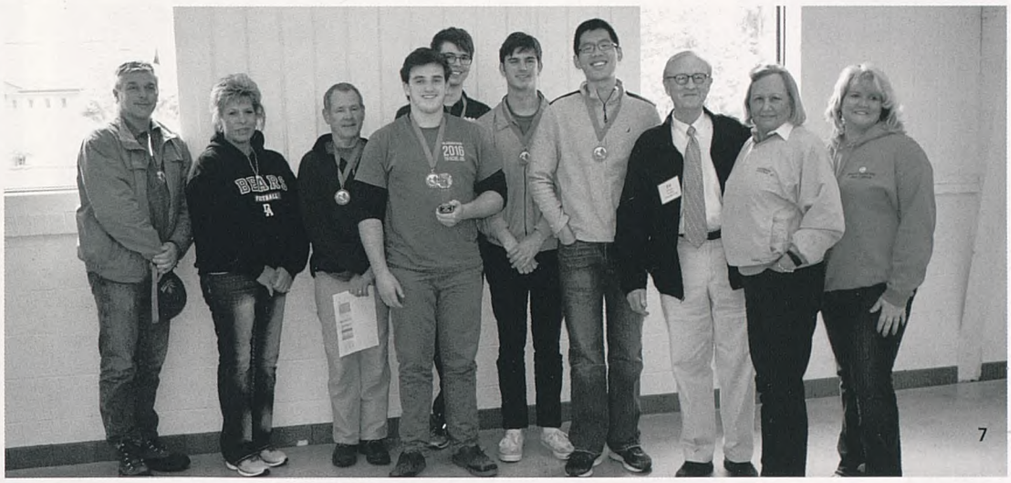
Feature Picture. first row from left to right: Matthew Milam, Colin Tang, Patrick Pergande; second row from left to right: Andrew Bulgarino, Tanuj Koli, Sam Meacham, Alex Kalams, Baylor Sai, Zach Brown, Thomas Zeuthen. 1. Chemistry Olympiad team is patiently waiting for their results. 2. The Envirothon team proudly represents MBA.

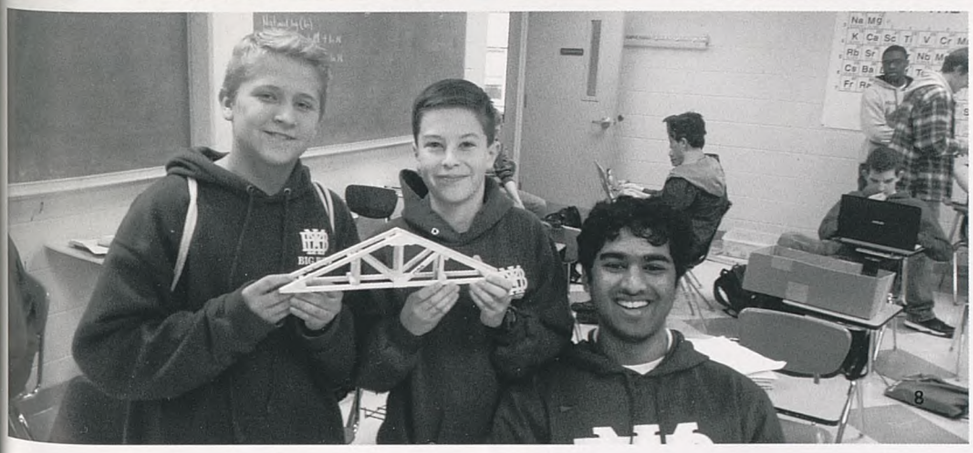
Envirothon Team A, Region winners, Jameson, Curnutte, Bailey, Moxley, Cooper

Envirothon 3rd place finishers Whitaker, Zhang, DeCoster, and O'Neal.

Science Ol;ympiad waiting for their results.







4. Chemistry Olympiad team after their day of competition. 5. MathCounts team Baylor Sai, Thomas Zeuthen, Alex Kalams, Colin Tang. 6. Students work on their outdoor component for the Science Olympiad. 7. The Envirothon team show off their medals. 8. Andrew Bulgarino , Thomas Tatrp, and Rishi Mallipeddi show off their engineering skills at Science Olympiad.

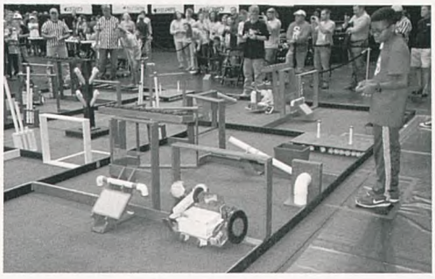
1. Mr. Lawrence helps guide some of the members of the Chess Club through the rules of the game as the learn on the large board. 2. Mr. Stewart helps sign students up to become debaters and puts in a plug for the Classics Club, because one can never have too much Latin. 3. The History Club helps clean up Fort Nagley during a weekend service project.

4. Mr. Hardin signs up students for the History Club during the Activity Fair. 5. The Philosophy Club welcomed guest speaker Mr. Leonard Curry during break. 6. Joseph Robertson learns the moves of the knight during the Chess Club meeting.

Academic Clubs

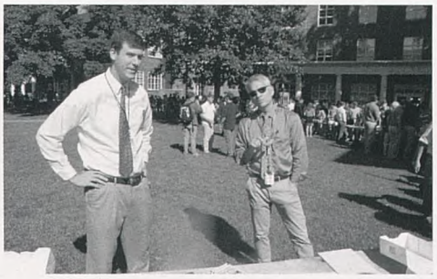
When Classroom Time Isn't Enough

One club that experienced a complete makeover and became a competing team was the robotics club. Under the sponsorship of Dr. Lech, students created robots to compete in tournament and it seems that this club will grow bigger from now on. The Philosophy Club was active this year with regular meetings and bringing in guest speaker Mr. Leonard Curry, a Ph.D. candidate in the area of Ethics and Society at Vanderbilt University about French philosopher Michel Foucault. The History Club also hosted a number of events and community clean up days throughout the year including one at Fort Nagley. The Chess Club was also active this year with break times to learn to play and then a lunch time speed tournament. All in all it was a busy year for the academic inspired clubs.

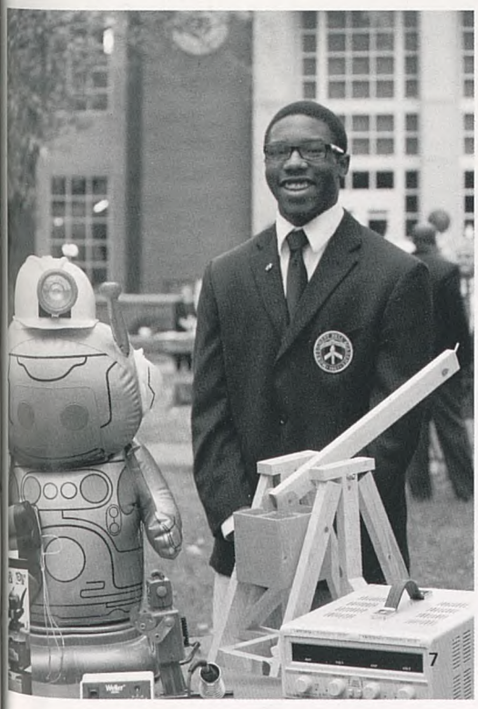


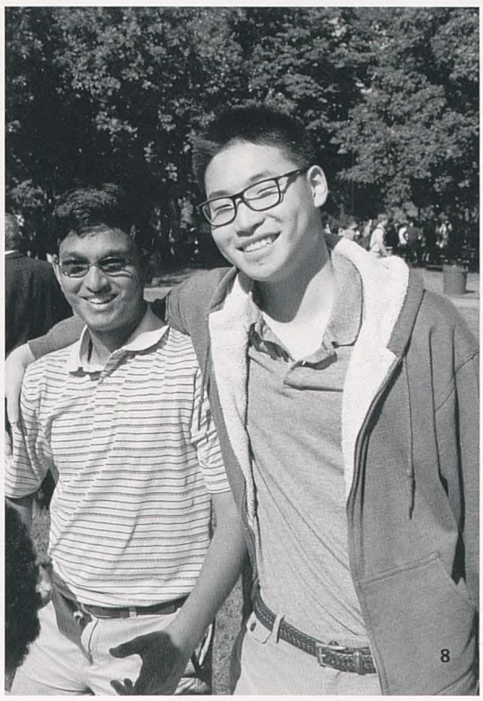
Brandon Hall drives the robot for the Robotics Team during their October competition.

Dr. Lech demonstrates some of the things that the Robotics Club has to offer to students at the Activity Fair.



Mr. Davidson and Mr. Kinch work on signing students up for the Chess Club and Book Clubs respectively.



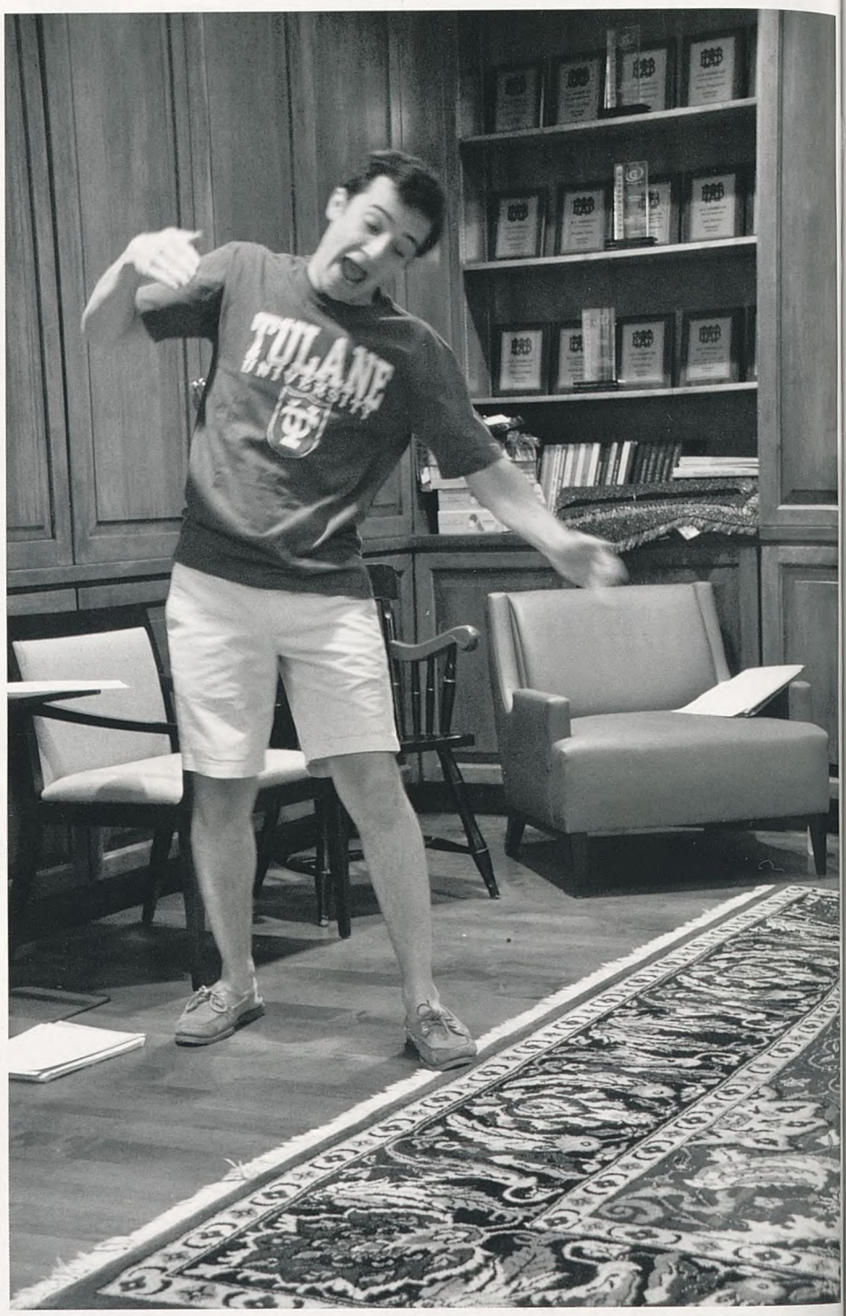


Feature Image. The Robotics Club took a big step forward this year with one of their first major competitions complete with mining theme. 7. Senior Rueben Dockery displays and explains some of the tools and builds from the Robotics Club during the Admission Preview Day. It's never too early to start recruiting. 8. Seniors Yavin Alwis and Tony Ding work on recruiting new members for the Computer Science Club.

Creativity

Passion and Good Fun

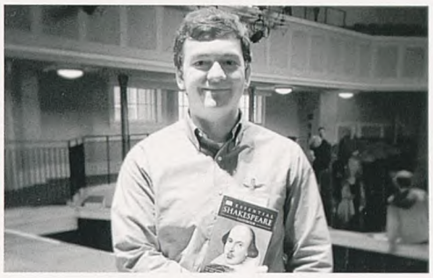
Thinking creatively is an important ability to have in this day and age. Whether it be in theater, music, visual art, or whatever you enjoy, creative thinking can be enjoyable, super fun, and a benefit to other studies. A spotlight of the creative scene on campus is MBA's Improv Club. This club meets regularly to enjoy creating dramatic scenes without any script. They made a splash during Endada while taking over the Roberts Room for a day of activities. The Thespain Society inducts members each spring following their years of dedication to the stage. Songwriting club has been strong as well these days, creating new music monthly sponsored by Mr.Hutton. The Photography Club is building momentum with the new darkroom and the ever-popular cel phone photo contest. One of the largest creative expressions of the year is Endada. Endada is planned by students under the supervision and guidance of Ms. Hollifield. It is a day of fun, games, music, and art. At the activity fair you can find all the clubs. These clubs which focus on their the creative voice can help you develop your passion and interests as well as your knowledge about the world around you. All clubs need creative thinkers to find and come up with activities/ideas for the upcoming year.



Feature Image. Nolan Spear participating in the Improv Club;'s show at Endada. 1. Mr. Reynolds shreds at the activity fair as Mr. Rundberg stands tall. 2. New inductees of the International Thespian Society.

Senior Tanner McCormick became a leader and mentor for many young thespians during his senior year.

Members of the Thespian Society organized the Annual Shakespeare-a-thon to raise money for the Nashville Shakespear festival and Endada.



Tanner also competed in the Shakespeare competition and did very well.

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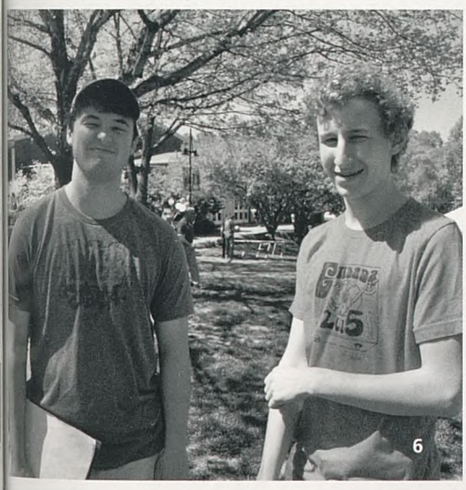

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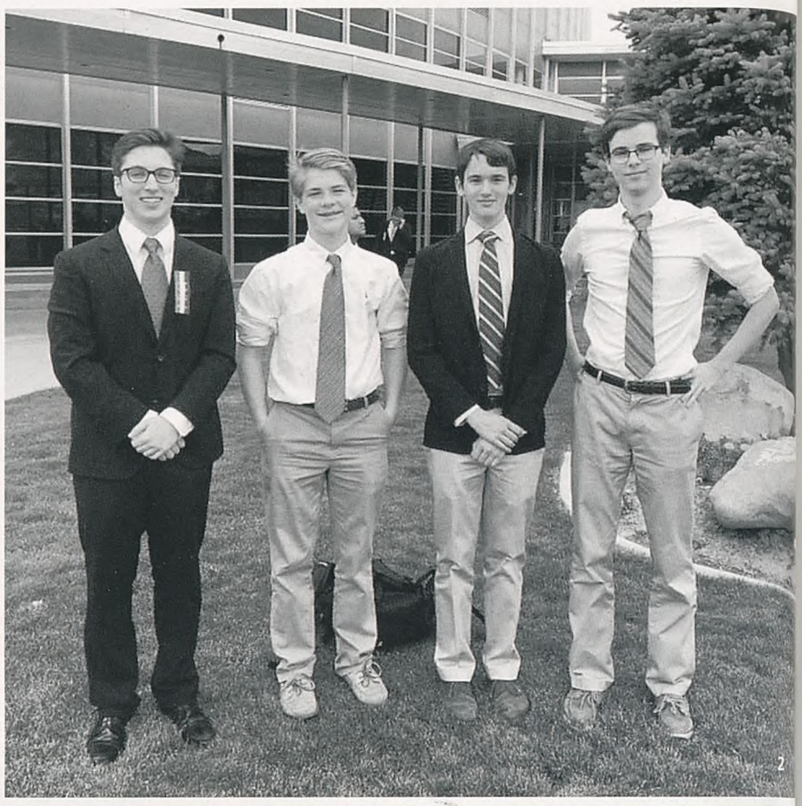
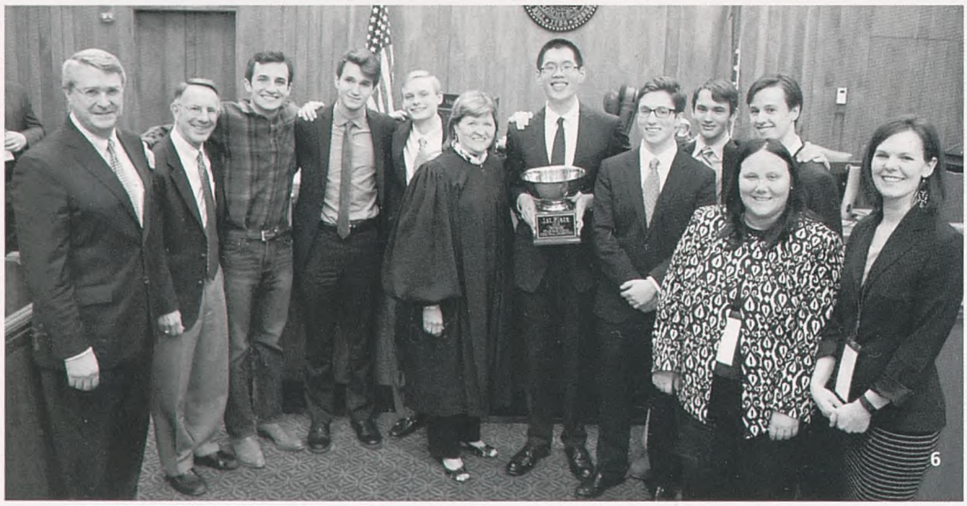
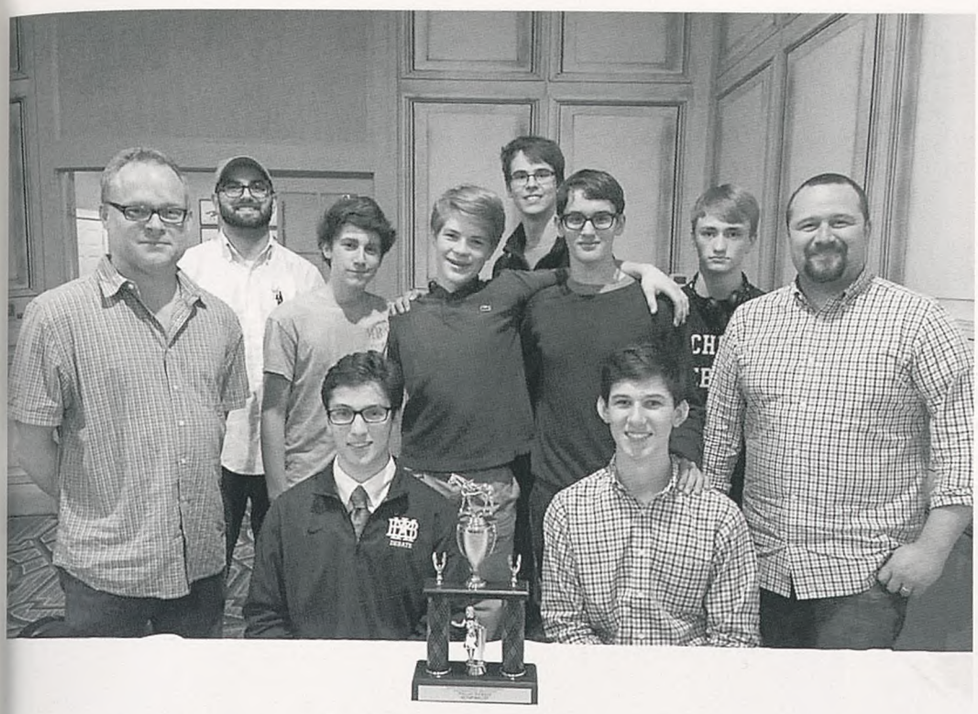
4. Senior Robert Dedman and Mr. Hutton man the Songwriting Club table at the activity fair. 5. Ms. Hollifield and Webb Hunt represent Endada at admission preview day. 6. Senior Chase Meluch, the student chair for 2016 Endada, talks with a future leader of Endada Jackson Satz. 7. Some of the senior members of the Thespian Society kick back at the Thespian Banquet. 8. Robert Dedman and Mr. Hutton, leaders of the Songwriting Club work to recruit new members. 9. Endada weekend build session helped Endada become real.

1. The MBA 2015-2016 Mock Trial team about to enter their first trial. 2. Andrew Kaplan, Ben Jablonski, John Cooper, and Liam Jameson make up the NSDA high school debate team. 3. 8th grader Aden Barton shows off his plaque for being Top Speaker of the 2015 St. Mark's School of Texas Sophomore Hoe Down. 4. Senior Andy Zhu dominates the courtroom.





5. Aden Barton and Julian Habermann prepare for their next competition. 6. The Mock Trial team with their first place state trophy. 7. The bus piled high with debaters start their season early in the year.



Debate, Forensics, & Mock Trial

New Territory, No Problem

This year was an unbelievable year for all teams. The MBA Debate Team saw hundreds of hours of summer and fall preparation pay off with experiences and successes too numerous to list. The potential shown in the past few years in the rooms in the Debate wing of the Lowry building turned into meaningful results at tournaments in North Carolina, Texas, Illinois, Georgia, Alabama, Michigan, and Kentucky. The team is deeply grateful to the graduating class of Seniors, Adam Young, Andy Zhu, Alvin Zhang, and Cole Campbell, who leave behind a squad that is focused, respectful, hard-working, and team-oriented. The Mock Trial Team broke records with their team this year. Dominating the state competition with the senior leadership of Andy Zhu, Cole Campbell, and Cameron McDonald-Surman, the team qualified for the National Tournament in Boise, Idaho. Missing exams for the tournament, the team was focused and prepared for this new level of competition taking 5th in the nation and a top 10 witness performance from sophomore Jack Capizzi!

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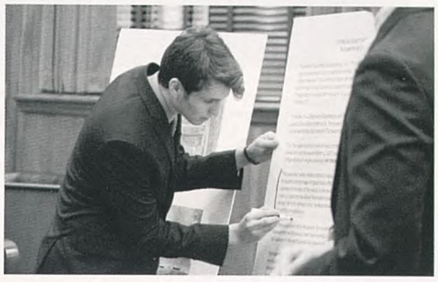


Senior and expert witness Cameron Mcdonald- Surman, sees right through the lawyer. He played a Frenchman with the ability to read people like books.

The up and coming junior school debate team. A bright future is ahead for the debate program.

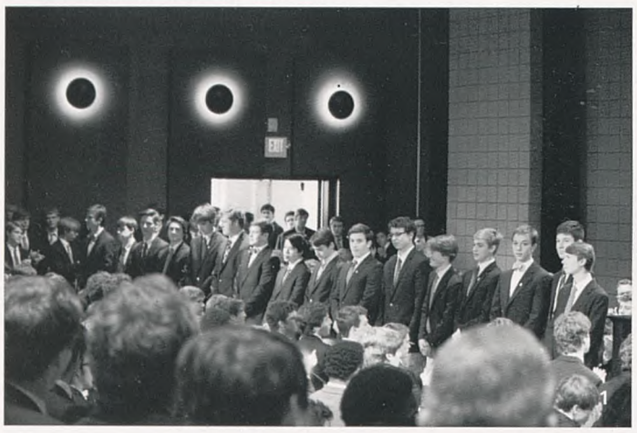
Young debaters win the national competition. A wonderful show by the younger members of this program.

Feature Image. Some of the debate team with one of the many trophies they won, this one was from the sweet sixteen of the 2016 Tournament of Champions. 8. Ben Rosenthal and Andrew Kaplan show off their impressive plaques won at the University of Michigan. 9. Liam Jameson and Andrew Kaplan with coaches Mr.Hamrick and Mr. Clark with their prize.

Honor Societies

Gentleman, Scholar, Athlete

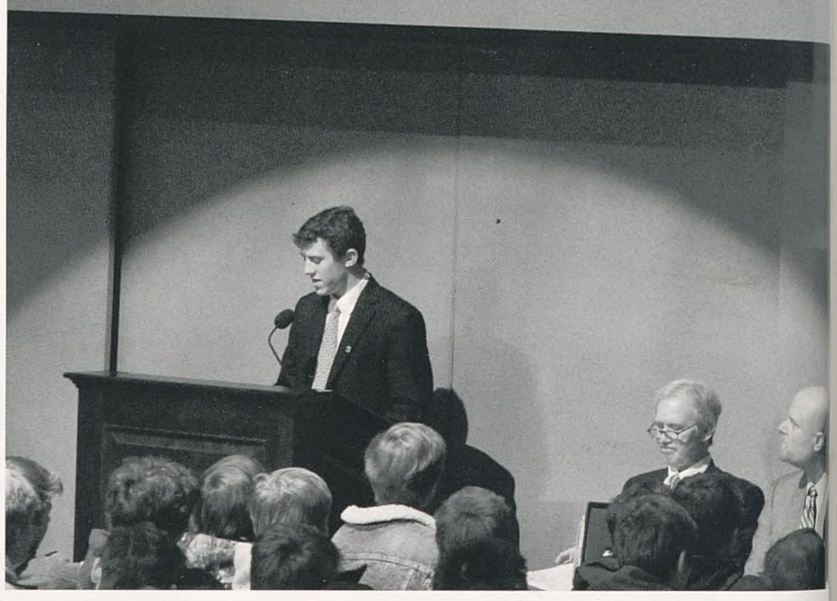
Each year MBA's Honor Societies induct new members and hold ceremonies for the inductions during the school day assembly time. From Totomoi to the Martin Luther King Society, there are many different ways to be honored for your passion or skill at MBA. Every year Totomoi has two induction ceremonies, one in the fall where only seniors are tapped and another in the spring where both juniors and seniors are tapped. Totomoi is MBA's honor fraternity that has been around for decades. Many alumni teachers were inducted during their time on The Hill. Another great honor is to be inducted into The Martin Luther King Society. The Martin King Society honors students who have volunteered countless hours to service and bettering the community. This Society welcomes Seniors, Juniors, and Sophomores and follows the teachings of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Cum Laude is another honor for those of the school, giving recognition to the top percents of grade averages in the school. These societies honor those leaders in the school for academics, service, and all around gentleman, scholar, athlete.

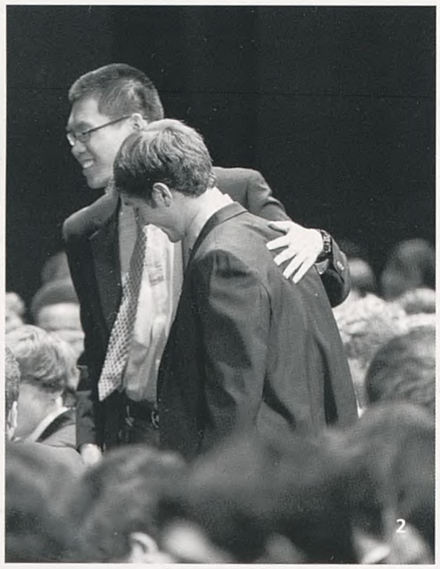


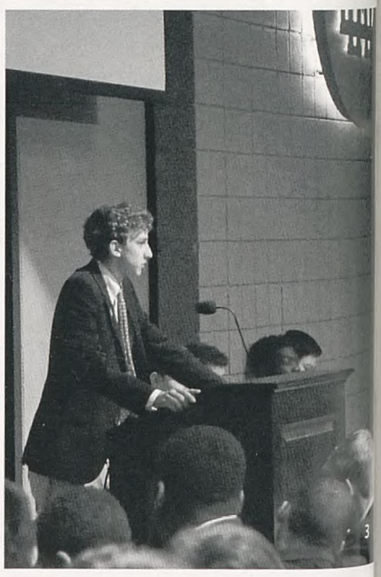
Feature Image. Carter Lovvorn introduces the King Society's induction 1. The newly welcomed members of the Cum Laude Society 2. Spring Totemoi sees Hunter Hamilton tapped by fellow classmate Andy Zhu. 3. Senior Adam Young introduces the Spring Tapping of Totomoi.

The King Society

"Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."
-Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.



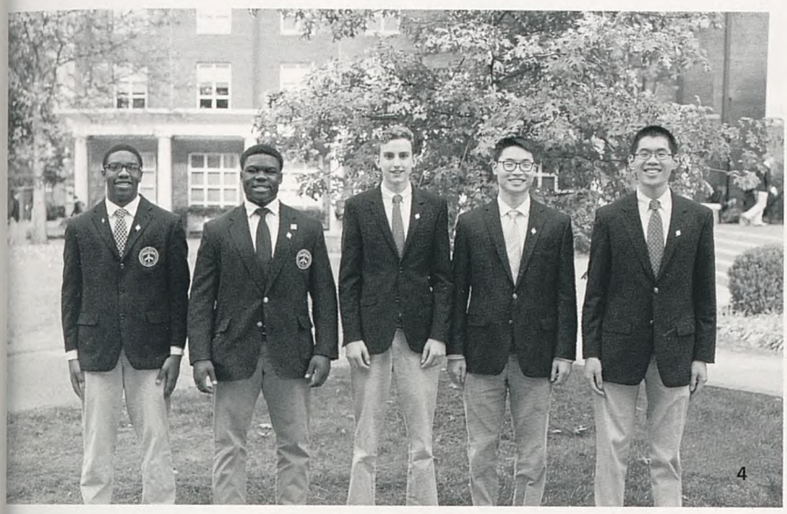


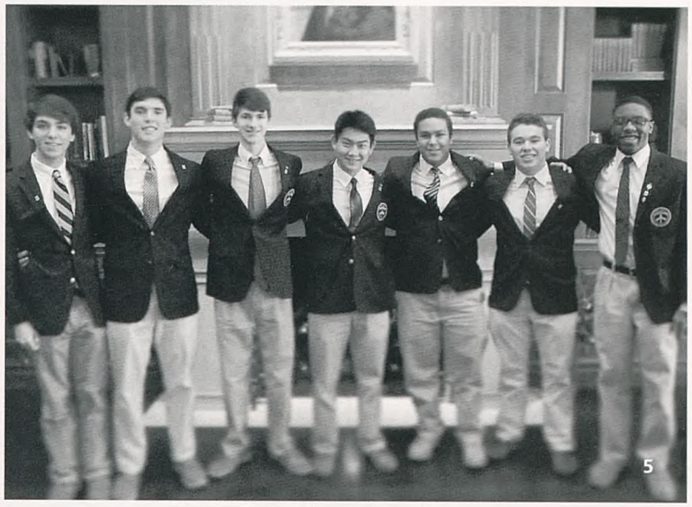


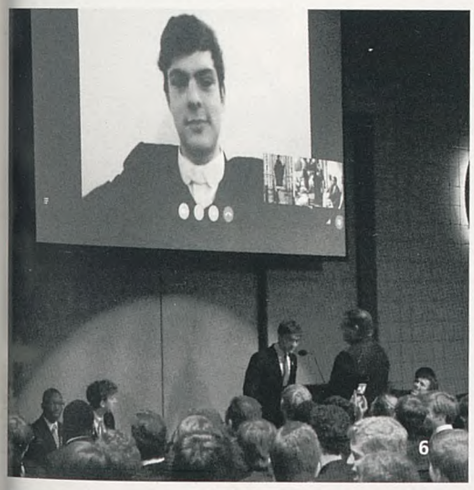
Andrew Kaplan is tapped by Senior Reuben Dockery during the Spring Totomoi Tapping

Carter Lovvorn searches for a senior classmate during the Fall Tapping

Tony Ding welcomes Troy Jiang to Totomoi during the Spring Tapping.





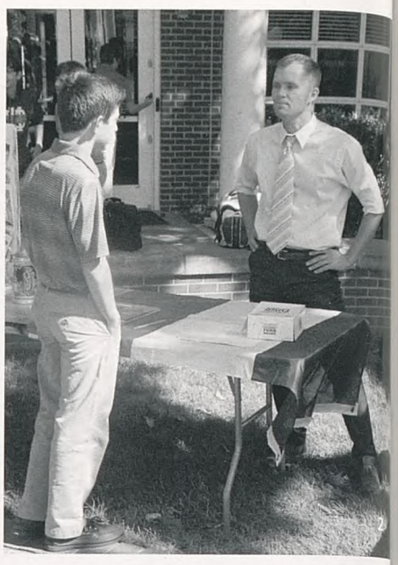


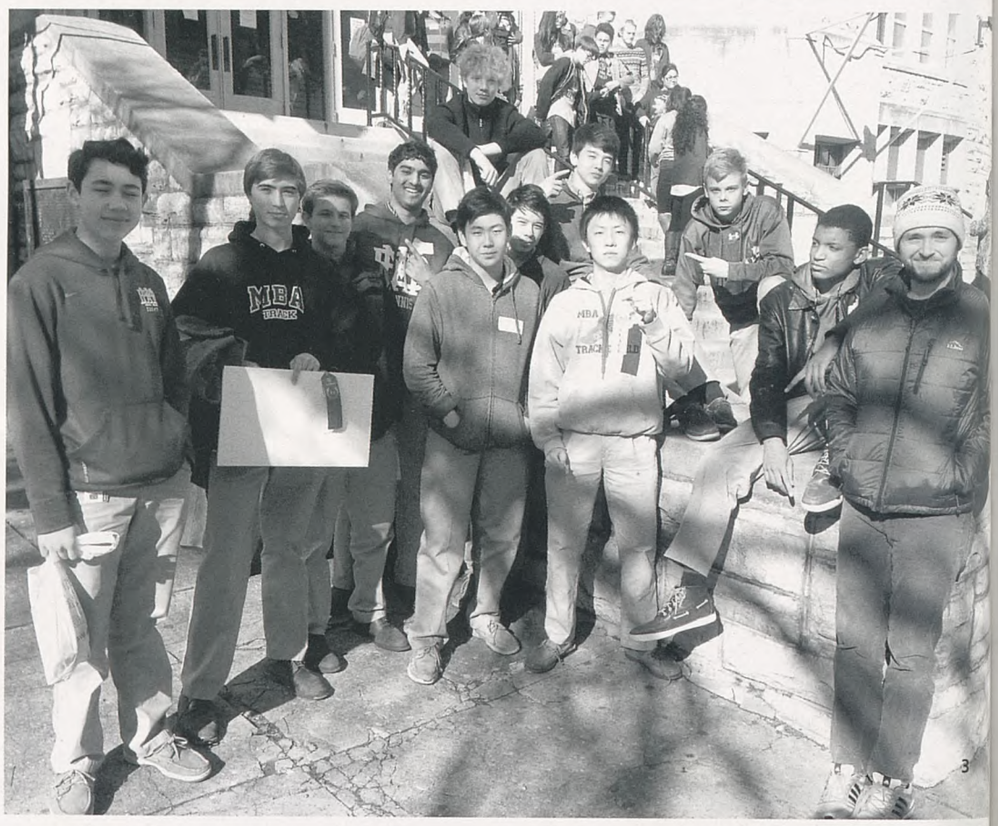
4. Fall Totemoi inductees. 5. MLK Society inductees 6. Peter Taylor is inducted via Skype because he was on exchange at Eton. 7. Spring Totemoi inductees. 8. Ms. Ellery introducing the Cum Laude Ceremony 9. The Martin Luther King Society taking the pledge with candles in their hand.

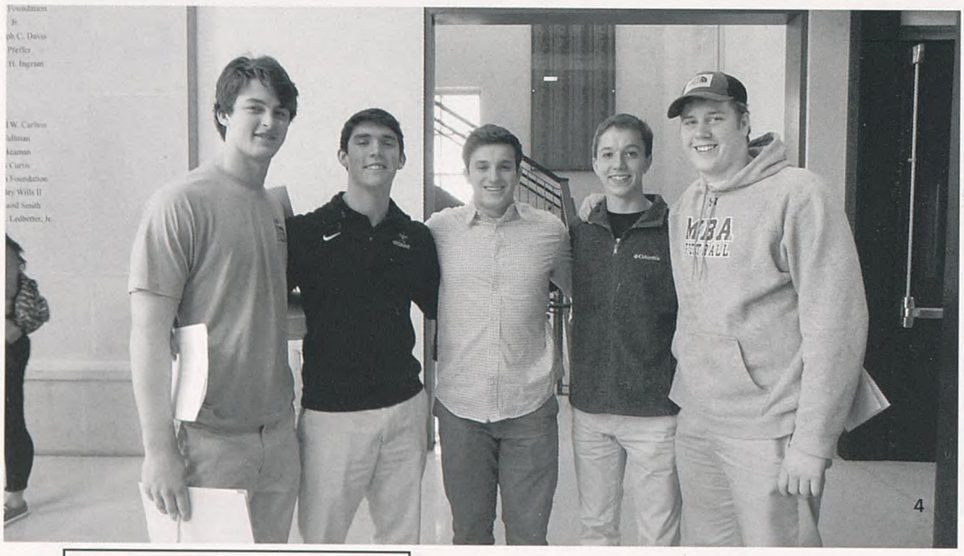
The MBA Spanish Club held a salsa lesson to learn some new moves during the Spanish Honor Society Student Conference 2016.

Ms. Ellery and her student John Curry who is sporting a fashionable toga encourage people to join the Classics Club.

Mr. Dougherty looks suspiciously at the camera as students signs up for German Club.





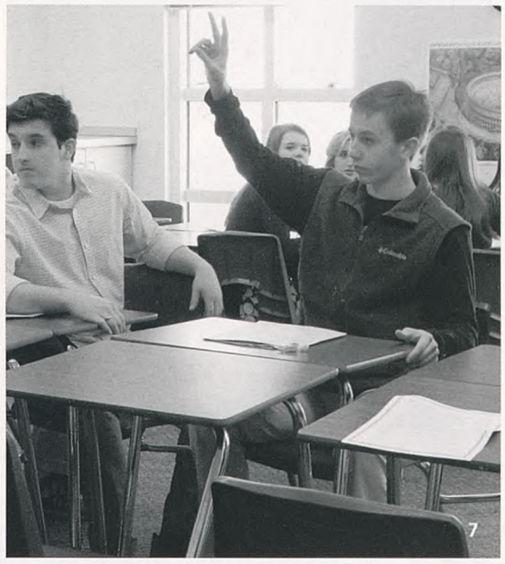


1. The Latin teachers stand at their table at the activity fair.2. Monsiuer Trotter talks with a student about the French Club. 3. Some of the Latin Scholors who participated in a competition 4. Clarke, Grant, Asher, Will, and Jesse were all in attendance at the Spanish Honor Society Student Conference. 5. Dancing in the quad as part of Clarke Allen's salsa dance lessons.

Language & Culture

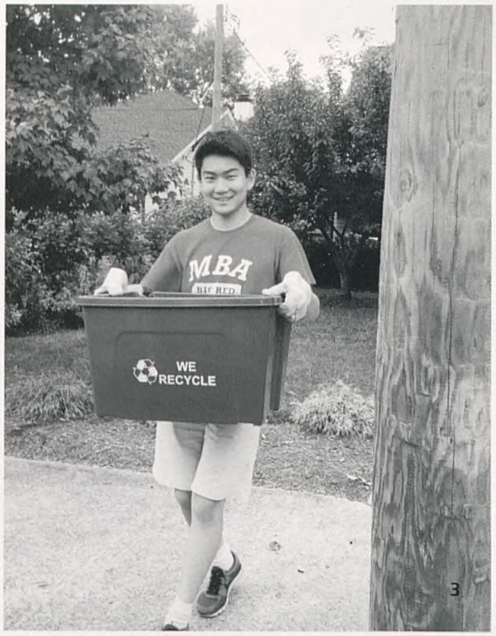
MBA Around the World

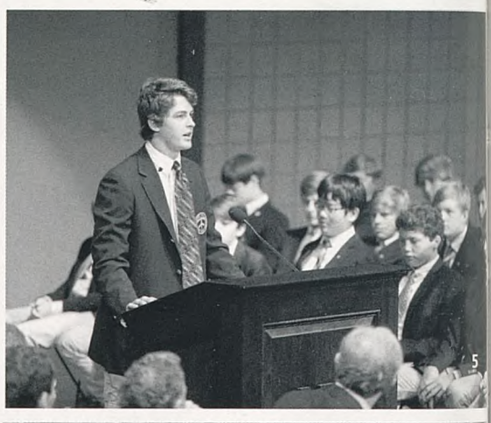
MBA students have alway had a rich love for learning about the languages and different cultures from around the world. With many wonderful opportunities to travel and visit the places being studied, MBA has a very strong Language department. The language teachers at MBA are not only dedicated to teaching the language but also want to expose students to the culture of areas that use the language. Each language has its own club and each club hsts fundraisers, bake sales, movie nights, etc. One highlight of each year for the language department is the Carter Cup, a soccer tournament where students represent the language they are studying. For the 2016 tournament, France pulled an upset victory in the final to be the surprise winner for the tournament. Students also participate in many; language competitions doing very well and showing the good work from the teachers at MBA.

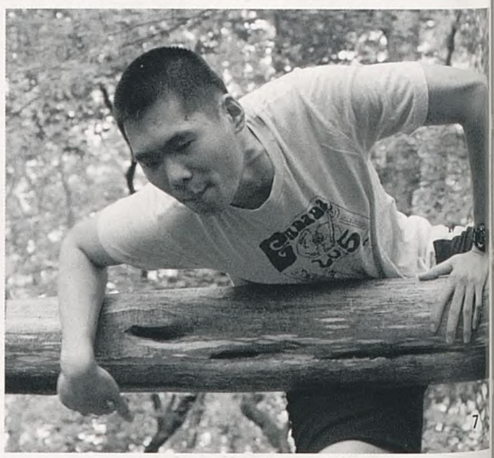


Feature image. The Chinese Club represents itself at the acticity fair. 6. Team France takes home the gold at the Carter Cup. 7. Asher Curnutte and Will Peters competing in jeopardy against a rival school during the Spanish Honor Society Student Conference which was hosted by MBA.

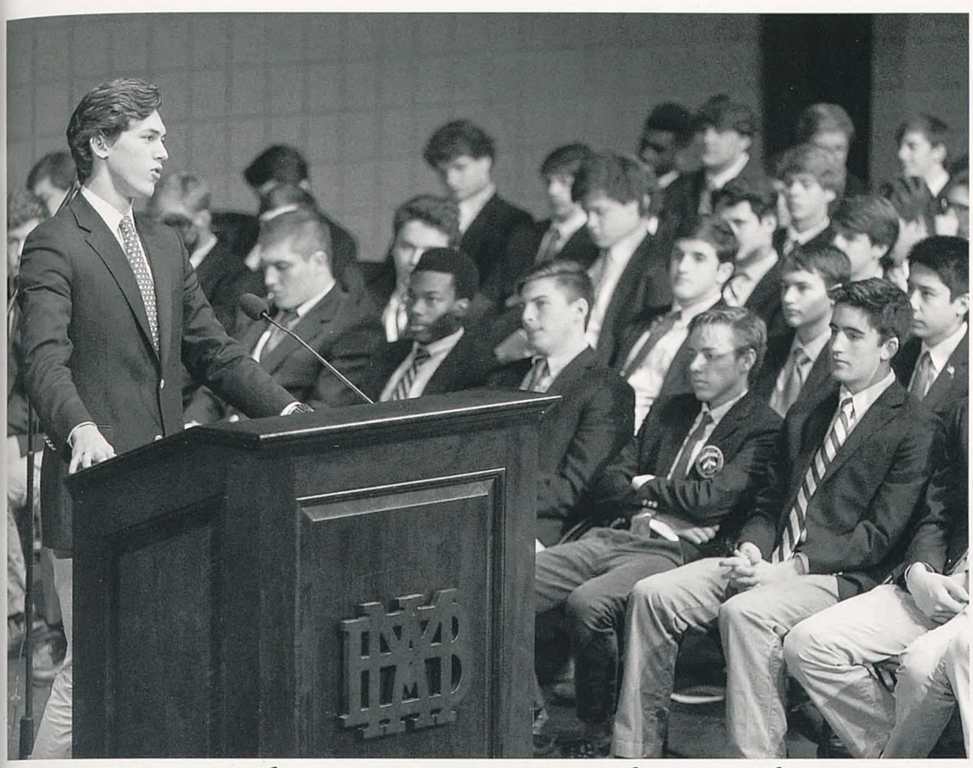
1. Carter Heckle readies himself to help his classmates over the obstacle. 2. This year's Honor Council: First Row: Will Eskew, Charlie Bailey, Gray Adelman, Carter Heckle; Second Row: Jonathan Brown, Jackson McFadden, Turner Johnson, Will Peters; Third Row: Julian Habermann, Bradford Holladay, Matthew Kaplan; Not Pictured: Jack Hayles 3. Troy Jiang, President of Service Club, helps kick off the Just Glass recycling effort. 4. As Student Body President, Andy Zhu gets everyone ready for the final event of Field Day.







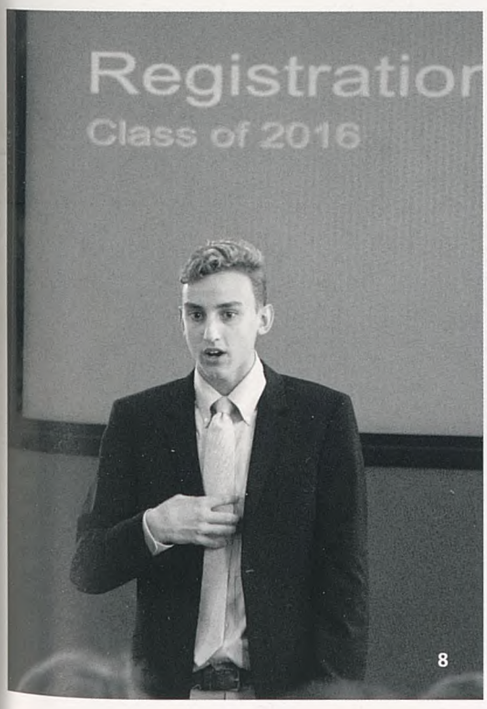
5. Senior Class Treasurer, Clarke Allen, addresses the freshman class during the Patch Ceremony. 6. The homeroom representatives from the Junior School help coordinate service drives and other events such as Spirit Week. 7. One of the most challenging obstacles during the leadership retreat is getting each member of the class leadership over the log, which happens to be 8 feet in the air.



Student Leadership

Providing Organization and Support

Each year the student body is organized and led by a dedicated group of students who begin working over the summer to create events and structure for the students at MBA. The year gets into full swing during the leadership retreat where leaders from multiple clubs, student council, and Honor Council get together and in addition to solving problems on the obstacle course work on planning events for the year. This year the student body was led by Andy Zhu who provided consistent leadership. The Honor Council was led by Will Eskew and Service Club's president was Troy Jiang. These students worked together with students of all grade levels in their group to provide leadership and accountability. One of the highlights of the year was the Second Annual Field Day organized by the Student Council.



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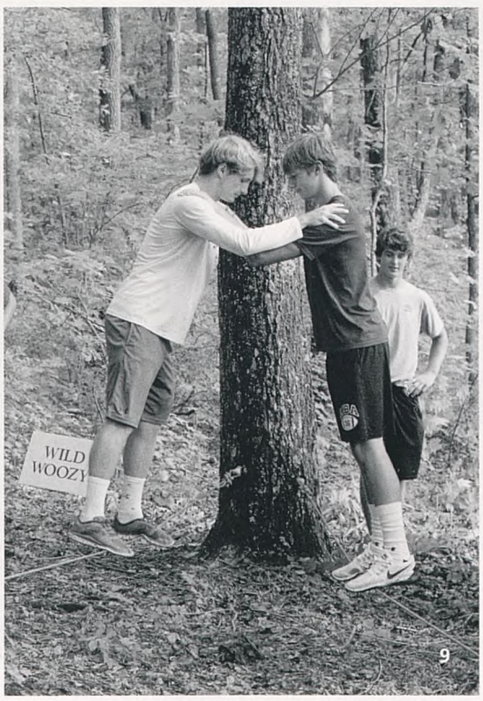

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The freshmen prepare to catch their new classmate during the leadership retreat.

Tony Ding accepts an award from Mr. Norton honoring his service and leadership.

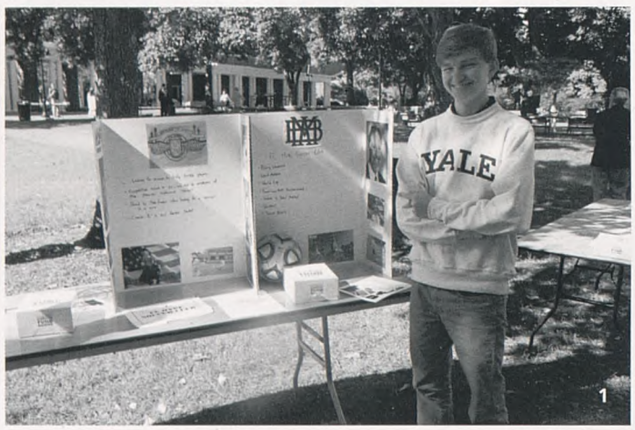
Mark Floyd helps had out the patches to the new freshmen.

Feature Image. Will Eskew addresses the juniors prior to receiving their rings on the importance of the symbol. 8. As Senior Class President, Adam Young, addresses his classmates during their registration day. 9. Chapman Malone and Nick Dreher practice working together during the leadership retreat in order to not only conquer this obstacle but build a relationship of trust that will last all year.

Personal Interest

Do What You Love

This year saw many new clubs and interests come to life. Two new groups came into fruition this year both spearheaded by a handful of seniors. The first is the Grill and Chill club. Joseph Scowden, the face of this well known group, made this activity famous within the MBA community by his energetic and hilarious announcements at many assemblies throughout the year. Joseph and his many grillers cooked up hot dogs and hamburgers for Field Day, Endada, and many other events. The second group that had a huge attraction at the beginning of the year was FC Hype. An amateur soccer group founded by seniors that was opened up to the entire school and was created into an official club. FC Hype's table at the activity fair set a new record for most sign ups shattering the record with almost 75% of the Junior School signing up. These are only two examples of the success of this year's new club interests. The classics like the Outdoors Club and the Stock Market Club also has fantastic years growing bigger and bigger with more people joining. The Outdoors Club took backpacking trips including one to Long Mountain. The Stock Market Club competed in a year long virtual stock market competition and had a variety of guest speakers. The Baseball Club had another successful year with regular get gatherings throughout the year.

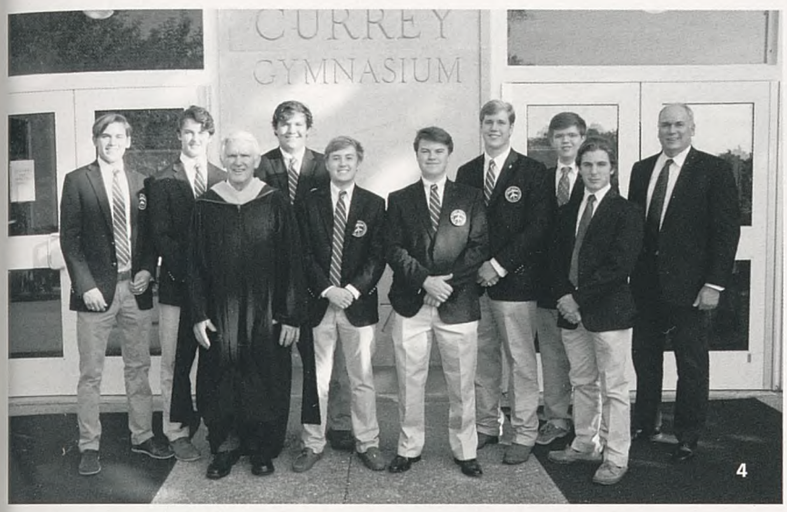


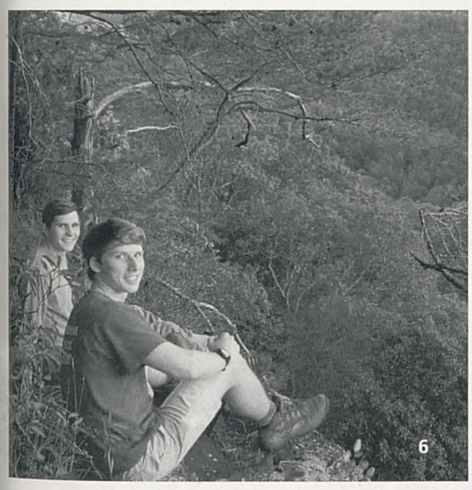
Feature Image. Joseph Scowden mans the grills as he pumps out burgers for Field Day. 1. Benton Dodd created the FC Hype table for activity fair which included music and pictures of Dr. Boyd. 2. Cole Cross and Will Allen, members of the baseball club. 3. Mr. Smyth, Carter Heckle, and Will Eskew got many people to sign up for MBA Expeditions.

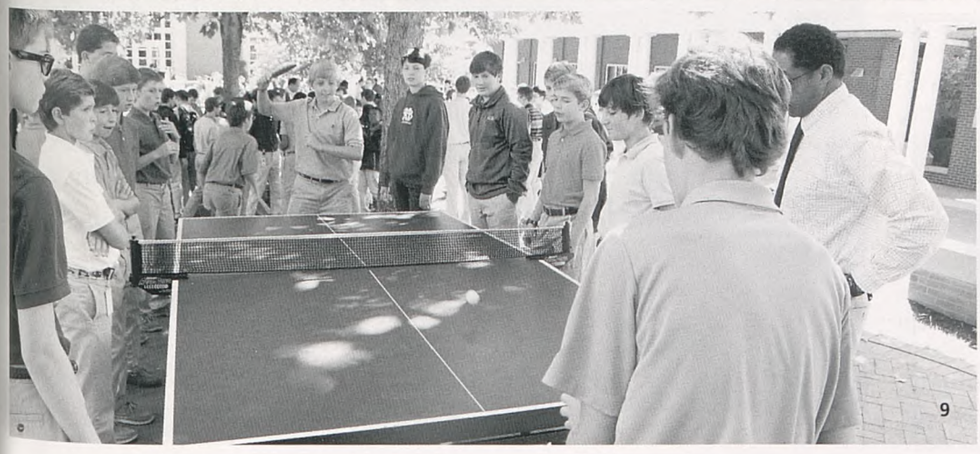
A tailgate for Grill and Chill at the State Championship Cross Country race.

The young members of the Stock Market Club, a growing interest at MBA.

A backpacking crew took on the Fiery Gizzard in East Tennessee.







4. Members of the Stock Market clubsneak in their group photo with by Mr. Tillman and Mr. West at graduation. 5. The MBA Explorers are getting ready to go backpacking. 6. Hunt Smith and Carter Heckle enjoy the view after a long hike. 7. Mr.West gives the do's and don'ts on the stock market. 8. Mike Miccioli stands at the ping pong club table at the activity fair. 9. A little stress relieving ping pong at break.

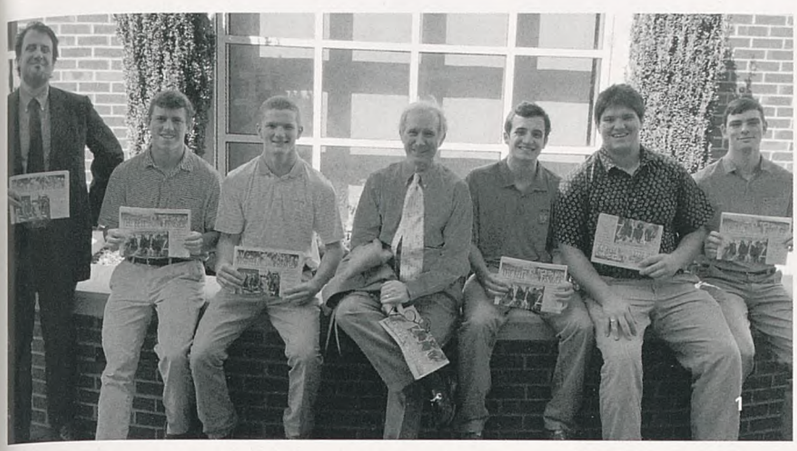
New Clubs

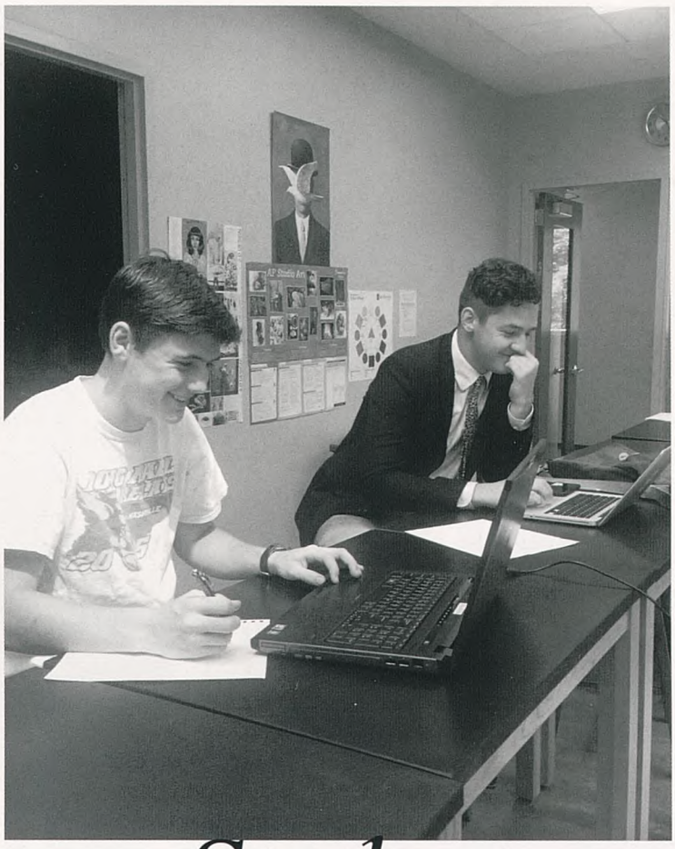
The Ever-Growing List

The Class of 2016 had many leaders with ideas for clubs that could have never taken off except for at MBA. For example Joseph Scowden and many other boys from the football team decided to take MBA's meat club to a whole new level and create what is now known as the Grill and Chill Club. With many comedic announcements at assembly, Joseph and Company created a club that both fed and supported many events and teams through out the school year. Another club that took off this year was Clarke Allen's Partner Dancing Club. Spawning off of Clarke's passion for dancing, he created this club to better prepare and teach the MBA and Harpeth Hall population to dance. A passion for an activity is a great starting point for creating a new club. Benton Dodd and other seniors created a soccer club called FC Hype when they were freshman and kept playing every Sunday up until they decided to open the group up to the entire school their senior year. FC Hype welcomed and supported players that enjoyed soccer but were not quite to the level to enjoy Varsity or JV. Another club that will continue is the Big Red Block created by Mr. Lawrence. It is and interesting club that is sure to grow and grow.

The Big Red Block played many games created by Mr. Lawrence. This one is called Battle Tanks.

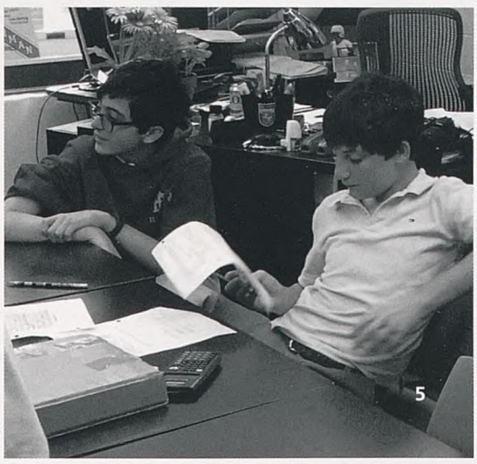
Feature Image. Jospeh Scowden, John Kelly, and Phelps Gambill helped the Big Red football team on the offensive line on the field but off the field they are grill masters. 1. Seniors join in on a Saturday afternoon to learn how to dance from Clarke Allen. 2. Co. Sid Gutierrez, former Commander of the Space Shuttle Endeavour speaks for a Men of Charecter Lunch one day.. 3. FC Hype's table at the Activity Fair was bombarded with new signees and interested students. 4. The Big Red Block one day during break.





Student Publications

The Campus in Words and Pictures



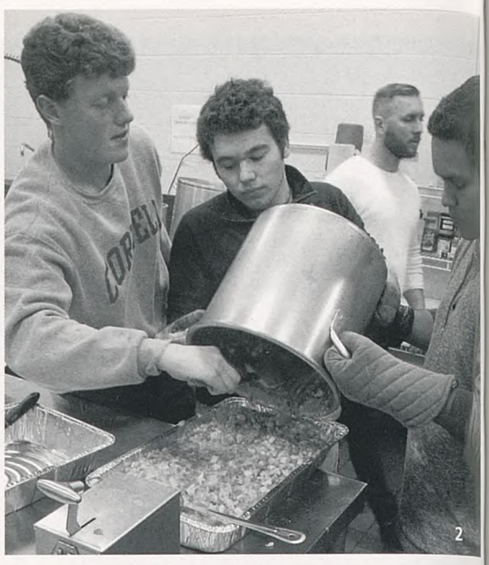
Feaute Image. The Bell staff meets during the end of the school year to assess what needs to get done during the summer. 1. The Bell Ringer staff takes a staff picture with Mr. Gioia. 2. Top of the Hill's 2015/2016 staff 3. Bell Editor Jamie Payne presented the yearbook dedication to Mr.Rundberg for his service and dedication to MBA. 4. John Fiorivanti, Peter Taylor, and Andrew Kaplan, all writers for The Bell Ringer. 5. Top of the Hill staffers Max Giorgio and Flynn McRae go over the list of possible stories.

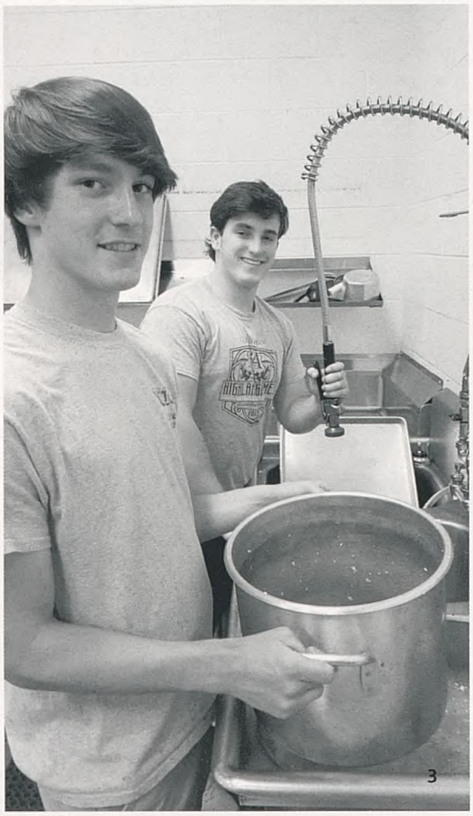
Top of the Hill, The Bell Ringer, Archives, and The Bell are the four student publications on the Hill. The Archives, sponsored bu Dr. Tarkington, grew their publication to two editions this year. Promoting the development of creative writing around campus, Archives now has a winter and spring edition. The Bell, sponsored by Ms. Swieca-Brockman, had a smaller staff this year which forced work late into the summer but they completed their job. The Bell Ringer, sponsored by Mr. Hutton, produced five editions with great depth, opinion, and comedy. The Bell Ringer promotes responsible journalism among the MBA student body and community and help spearhead the reporting of pertinent news items. Top of the Hill had another successful year with Mrs.Roberts and Mr. Kimball sponsoring the paper. The Junior School newspaper created four issues last year and the articles range from features to sports. The paper is managed by an all junior school editorial staff, and articles and pictures are submitted by junior school students. These publications enjoyed creating content for you and thank you for reading and appreciating the hard work these four staffs put into each edition.

Members of the MBA community join in to help the Nashville Food Project create lunches for those in need around Nashville.

Shakespearathon has become a famous fundraiser on campus. Here students participate in the Yorick skull toss.

After the Christmas Ginger Bread house building with Best Buddies.





1. Kanayo Offodile and William Barton enjoy the early morning Richland Creek Run. 2. Werner Bradshaw, Drew Davis, and Austin Streaty work at the Loaves and Fishes Soup Kitchen. 3. William Porter and Asher Curnutte clean dishes at Loaves and Fishes. 4. William Seitz, Joel Elasy, Reed Campbell, and Zach Garfinkel help direct runners at the Richland Creek Run. 5. Mr. Speigl shakes the hands of all his new Garden Club members.

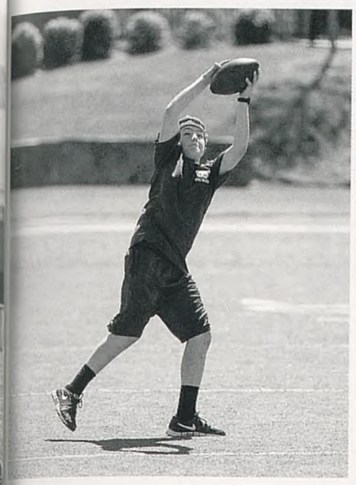
Service & Sustainability

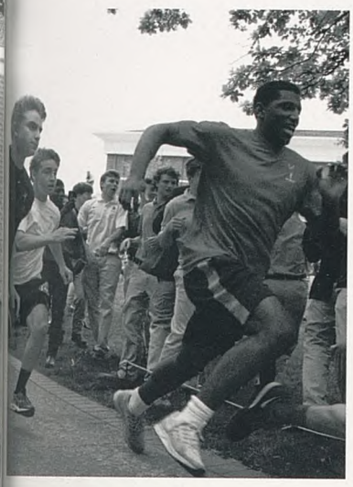
Lending a Helping Hand

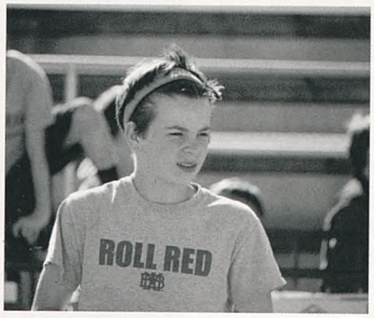
The Service Club this year took new initiatives this year including the Just Glass program and the Canine Companian for Independence. The Service Club oversees over 20 different service opportunities each year - favorites being The Race for the Cure, Loaves and Fishes Soup Kitchen, and Best Buddies. The Presdident of the Service Club was Troy Jiang who spent much of his time helping others in and out of the MBA community. Sustainability around campus is led mainly by Mr.Spiegl, who sponsors both the Garden Club and the GLOBE program. Dr. Bialey sponsors the Sustainability Program. In the Garden Club they helped maintain the campus garden space and grew fresh vegetables and herbs for the MBA cafeteria. Cafeteria waste is recycled in the campus garden composters to complete a recycling loop on campus.

Feature Image. Seniors Sam Curry, Troy Jiang, Hudson Coombs, Nadir Saleh, and Junior Asher Curnutte end the year at Loaves and Fishes Soup Kitchen. 7. Some of the gentleman that represented MBA at the Race for the Cure. 8. Bryan Taylor, Hugh Sullivan, and Bela Arwen hand out water at the Richland Creek Run.

Activities



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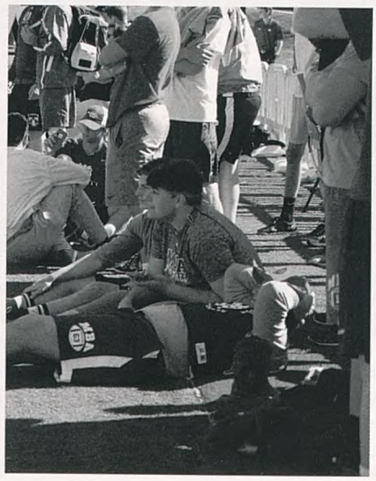
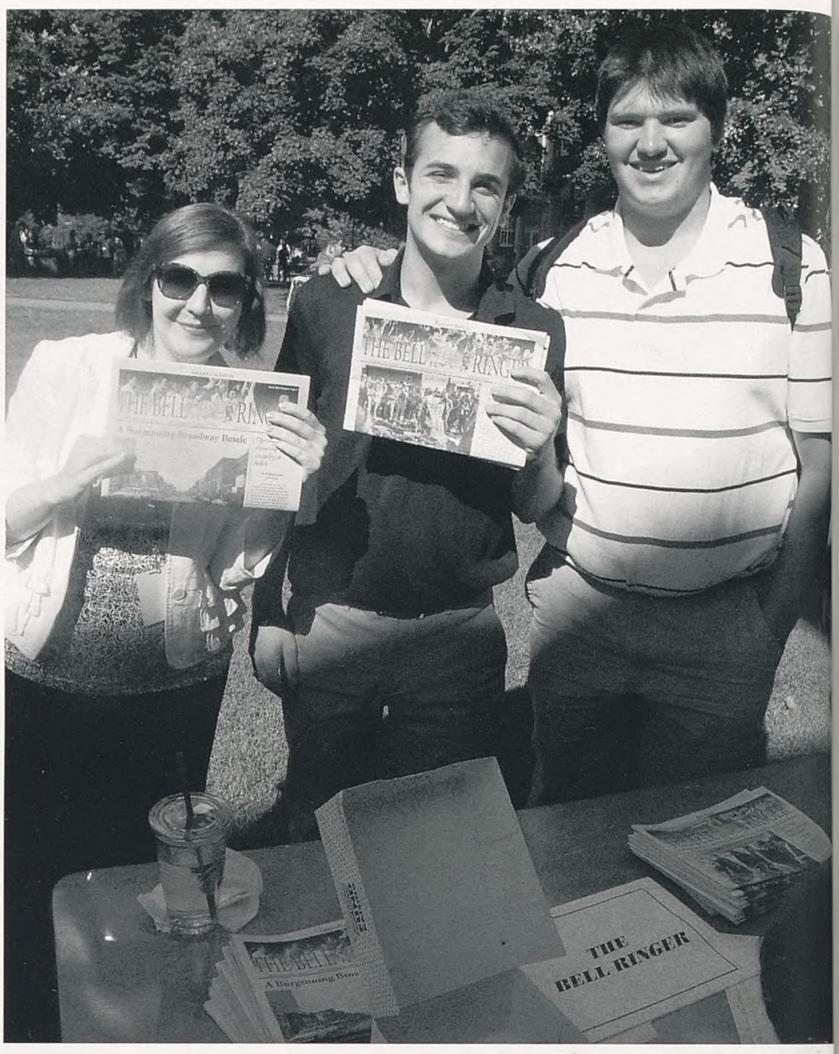
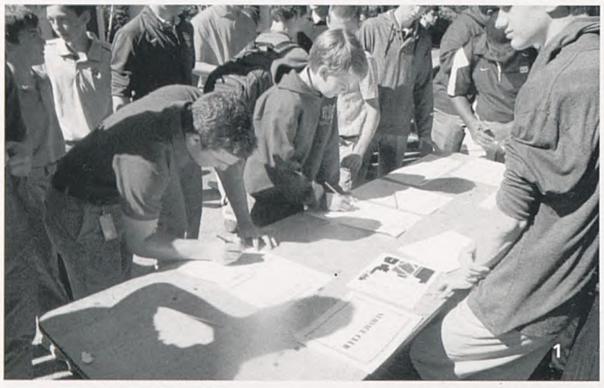


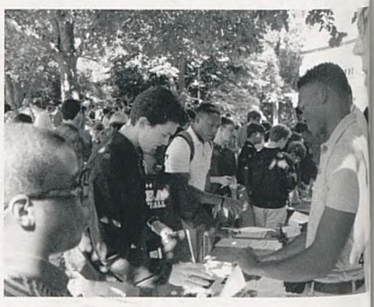
Activity Fair

It's Not Just About the Donuts

This year's activity fair took place under sunny skies and had a record attendance, almost certainly because of the plethora of donuts offered to the hungry kids. Club newcomers this year included FC Hype and the Dance Partner Club. These clubs in addition to the longstanding Kendo Club represent a new age of MBActivity. Students had an extended break time to sign up for clubs that seemed interesting and that they would like to pursue during the school year...or ones that still had donuts. With clubs ranging from Newspaper to Outdoor Club to Robotics there was something for everyone. This flurry of activity leads to a long relationship between clubs and members as well as the growth of student involvement in the MBA community.







A beautiful sky allowed people to sign up for many clubs during the thirty minute fair.

Feature Image. Dr. Young along with Nolan Spear and Joseph Scowden recruit new members to The Bell Ringer, MBA's newspaper, staff. 1. Students continue to sign up for these clubs even after they run out of donuts. 2. Mr. Reynolds knows how to recruit people using his mad guitar skills. 3. Ms. Zhang signs up students for the Chinese club by showing off some of the events from previous years. 4. Students are busy signing up at this busy table.

Carnival

Rain, Rain, Go Away

Undeterred by potentially dampening weather the carnival remained a bright success due to the tireless maintenance staff and volunteers. This year saw the return of the classics such as the dunk tank, inflatables, and free popcorn. In addition to these activities, a new activity, jousting (pictured below) made its debut. The carnival is open to all of the community and had a great turn out for kids of all ages. Even with the threat of rain there were scores of people who came for the games and hot dogs and stayed for the football game that immediately followed. Hits this year included the ever popular dunk tank and fishing for prizes. Music was also provided by the music department and included the Rock Band. Thanks to all the sponsors and Mr. Norton for spearheading this MBA tradition and to all the families who participated to make the carnival happen year after year.

Feature Image. Even with cloudy skies there was a good turn out for the delicious hot dogs and carnival games. 1. Senior Davis Cavallo takes a plunge in the dunk tank thanks to an expert shot. 2. Musicians including MBA's JB Lund and Luke Rochford perform in front of Carter for the crowd. 3. Junior schoolers take turns trying to break the fast pitch record. 4. Some microbes enjoy the new jousting activity.

Jed Griffin and Grant Green help a little man feel strong.

Homecoming Weekend

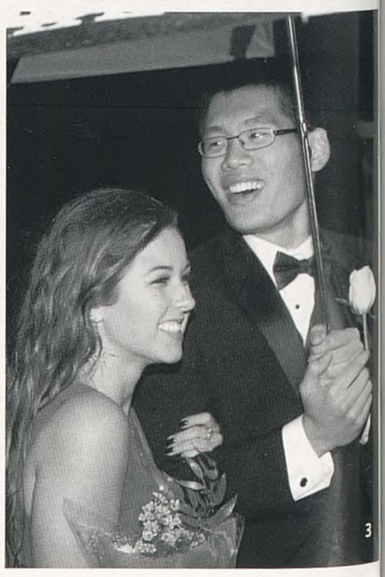
Pasta, Puppies, and Pigskins

Homecoming is always an exciting time for the MBA community, and this year was no exception. It began in early September with the Spaghetti Supper tickets and built its way up slowly through assemblies and ticket sales until the week of activities arrived. The week leading up the dance on Saturday night was filled with promotions, tickets, fun clothes, last minute arrangements, goodies from the bake sale, and the awarding of the much envied puppy for the highest ticket seller.

The night of the Spaghetti Supper arrived along with a host of alumni under a light drizzle that did not dampen the vibrant mood of anyone who attended. The football team proceeded to crush John Paul II with a halftime break for some heavy lifting from Matt Poe and the homecoming court.

The dance was also a huge success with DJ Little Foot setting the mood in the big gym. Whether people were jumping up and down in mosh pits or taking pictures on the edges a good time was had by all.

Thanks to the tireless work of the support staff, volunteers, administration, and students, this year's homecoming was a huge success.

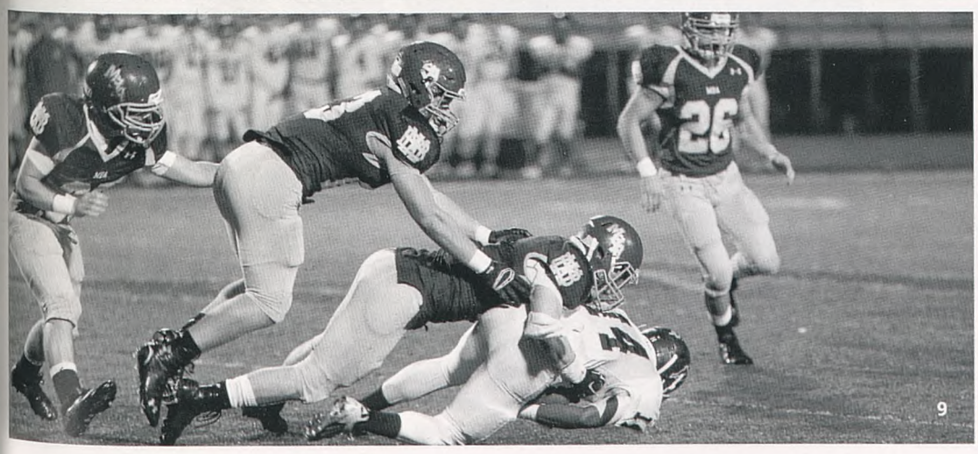


Feature Image: Carson Talbott leads Mimi Bulow across the field at half time. 1.The entire MBA chorus sings the national anthem to kick off the game. 2. Ty Chandler controls the field with his powerful runs, winning the Homecoming game for the Big Red. 3. Andy Zhu protects Shelby Nutter under his umbrella while he waits to escort her across the view, way to go Andy.

The bake sale continues to be a huge success as students swarm the tables of goodies.

The class officers and Harpeth Hall representatives enjoy the Officers' dinner in the Zimmerman Room.

Freshmen Jackson Hannah and Ethan Way with their dates at the new freshman dinner in the dining hall.

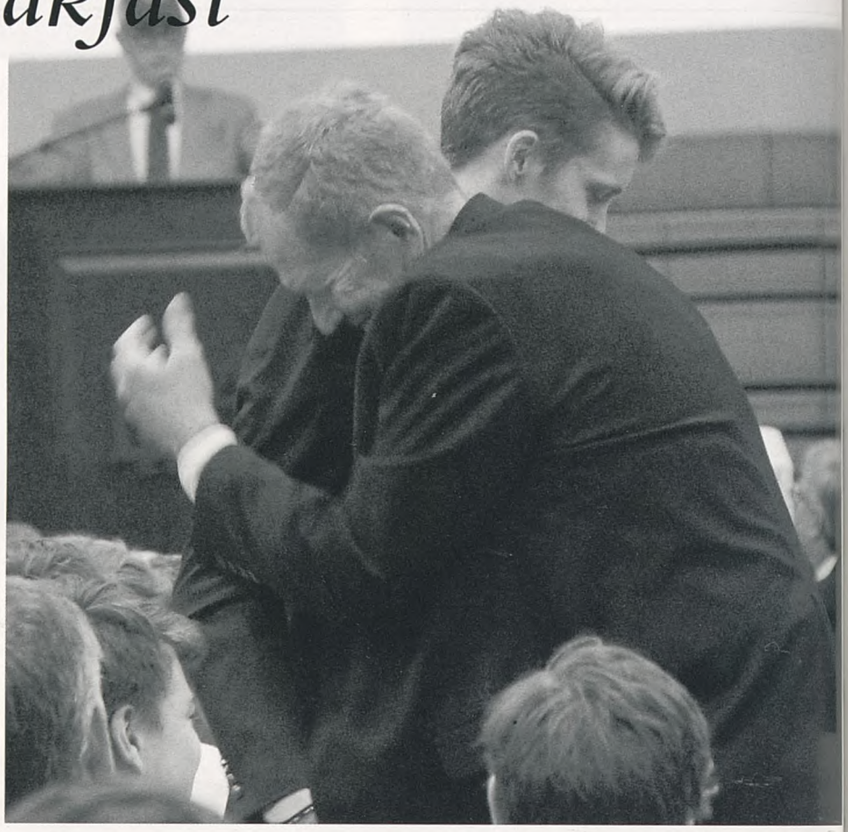


4. During the Spaghetti Supper, freshman are tasked with cleaning up; don't worry guys it gets better. 5. This year the freshman class enjoyed a lovely dinner in the Dining Hall before the Homecoming dance. 6. Class officers and the Harpeth Hall Representatives look stunning as they prepare to be presented at halftime. 7. Senior Adam Young stands as his name is announced. 8. Alden Ferguson and Cole Thornton pause with their dates to get a picture with Mr.Norton. 9. Defensive Shutdown! The Big Red had no time for JPII's antics.

Father Son Dinner
&
Mother Son Breakfast

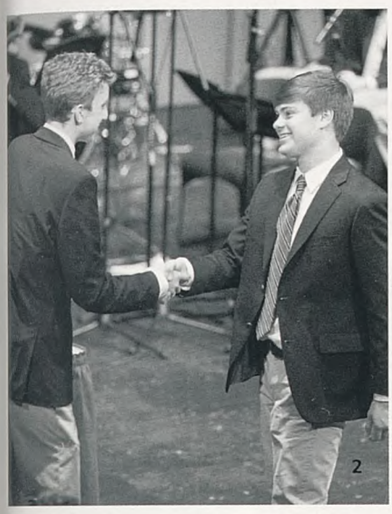
Taking Time Together

Two times each year the MBA community comes together to celebrate the special relationship between boys and their parents. The Father Son Dinner and Mother Son Breakfast both give students the opportunity to share stories about their parents and listen to a special key note speaker. In addition to moving tributes to their fathers and performances from the music department attendees of the Father Son Dinner listened to an address from Michael Uslan, the producer of the Batman movies. This insightful speech left students wanting to hear more. The Mother Son Breakfas was equally filled with moving tributes including a speech from senior Troy Jiang who paid tribute to his mother, in the audience from China, and is "other moms" whom he has lived with while studying at MBA. The morning event was closed out by the choir who sang a moving rendition of Billy Joel's Lullaby.



Above: Senior D'On Coofer and his mom on the morning of the mother son breakfast. D'On would go on to give a touching and humorous talk.

Feature Image: Senior Devon Rundberg embraces his father, music teacher Mr. Rundberg, after a moving talk. 1. Mother Son breakfast speaker, Dan Jansen addresses the audience and shares his story about loss and moving forward. 2. Troy Jiang delivers an emotional speech about his mom, who made the trip from China to be in the audience along side is other "moms." 3. What would the Father Son Dinner be without a great spread of food from Jim and Nicks. 4. Will and Tom Peters with their father on the night of the Father Son Dinner.



Rites of Passage

Coming of Age at MBA

Feature Image, Brandon Hall received his patch from Will Eskew. 1. Prior to receiving their patches, members of the freshman class heard from Clarke Allen the senior class Treasurer about the responsibilities and joys of being a member of the MBA community. 2. Logan Cashwell is all smiles receiving his class ring from Adam Young. 3. Matt Hopp ceremoniously pins the MBA waffle on Joseph Bellardo. 4. It was a moving moment for all when Sam Garrett received his class ring from his father during the ceremony.

As a school built on 149 years of tradition each year is marked by rites of passage for different parts of the community. Entering seventh graders, once they sign into the official registrar enjoy a meal with their big brothers and receive a pin of the MBA waffle. As students grow with the institution they receive their MBA patches at the beginning of freshman year. These patches are worn at various times times throughout the year for special assemblies and eventually for the graduation. Juniors receive their class rings in a morning assembly which is complete with guest speakers from the senior class and an alum who reflect upon the symbolic meaning of the class ring and how it is an enduring reminder of the brotherhood forged at MBA.

Now fully part of the MBA community, the class of 2019 displays their patches with pride.

Long Mountain

When You Need to Get Away

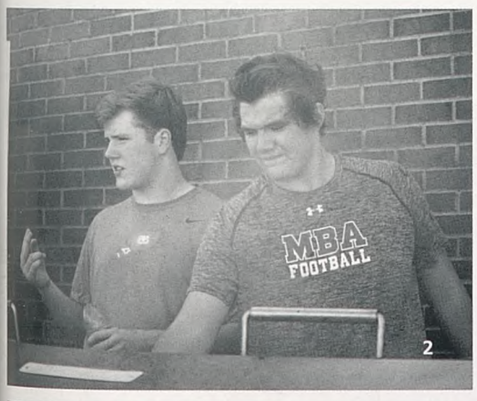
Just a brief drive from The Hill is wonderful escape from the hustle and bustle of daily life. Students are able to enjoy the quiet and serenity of Long Mountain throughout the year with both academic and extracurricular activities. This year groups from many different clubs took advantage of the amazing hiking and observatory for an overnight or two. Groups including FCA, the Outdoor Club, and Art Club took in the amazing views and used the natural beauty to inspire themselves. Each fall, before the school year even starts, the student leadership teams work together to complete the obstacle courses and build trust in each other's leadership abilities. Other groups also took advantage of Long Mountain for some family bonding with the Annual Father Son camp out which is one of the biggest events held each year. The MBA community is lucky to have such a great resource and the students enjoy it each time they visit.

Feature Image. Students from the Fellowship of Christian Athletes used the facilities at Long Mountain for an annual retreat. 1. Sam Sullivan and another student from FCA practice their trust with one of the many team building activities. 2. Nick Dreher takes a minute from the leadership retreat to use the new disc golf course. 3. Members of the Outdoor Club pause for a minute on their hike for a photo. 4. Dedicated art students, and their chaperones, spent a brisk fall day at Long Mountain drawing, painting, and photographing the beauty around them.

Field Day

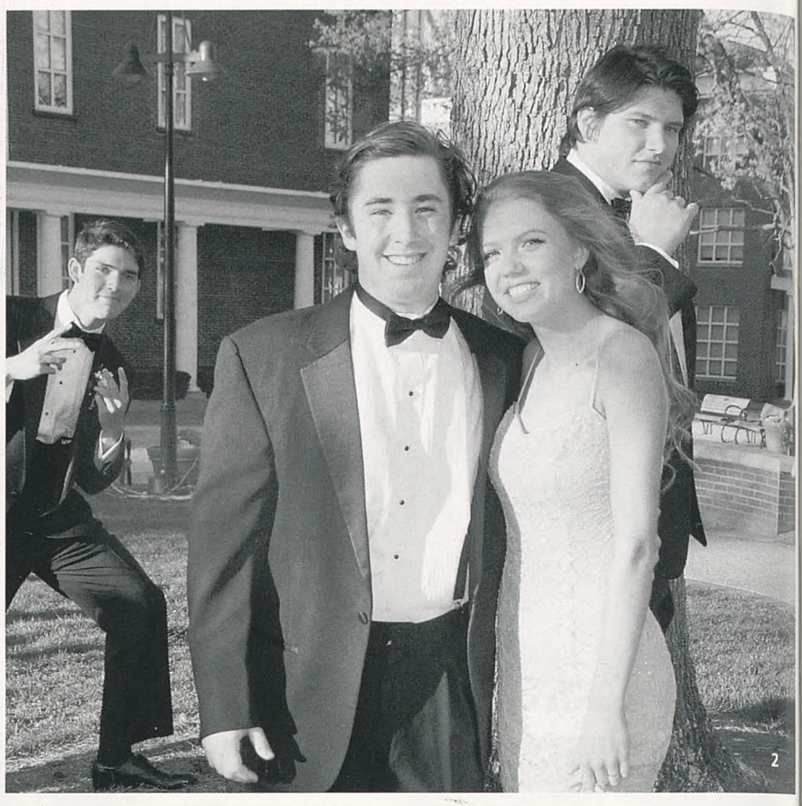
Team Silver Claims Victory (again)

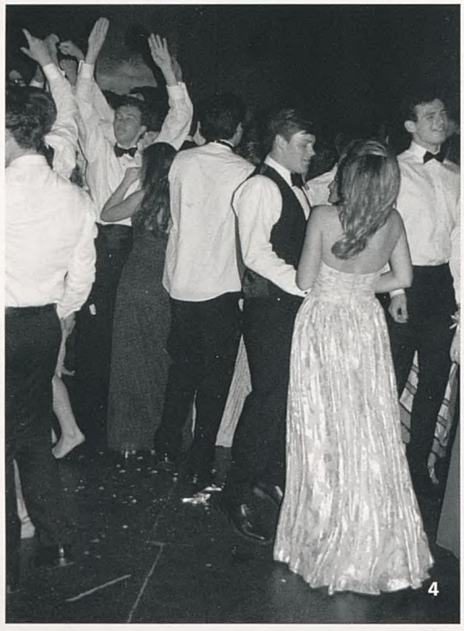
Field day, the second half of the first day back from spring break, was a huge success again this year after its establishment last year. The events stayed largely the same, with improvements in the academic areas and the weight room. This year also saw the entrance of the Grill and Chill Club which made an appearance later in the day to provide snacks for the worn out athletes. This year's student council did an excellent job of organizing every student into at least one event and the day was enjoyed by all. The competition was dominant in each grade, but ended in a tight finish with deciding points by silver's running and improv teams and silver triumphed again. Many thanks were extended to the administration for allowing students to have the time and to the student council for putting in the hours to make field day such a success.

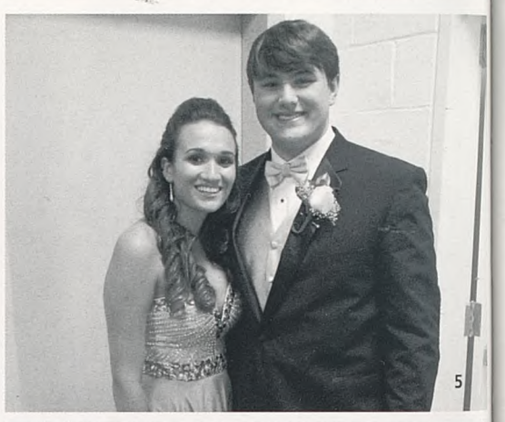


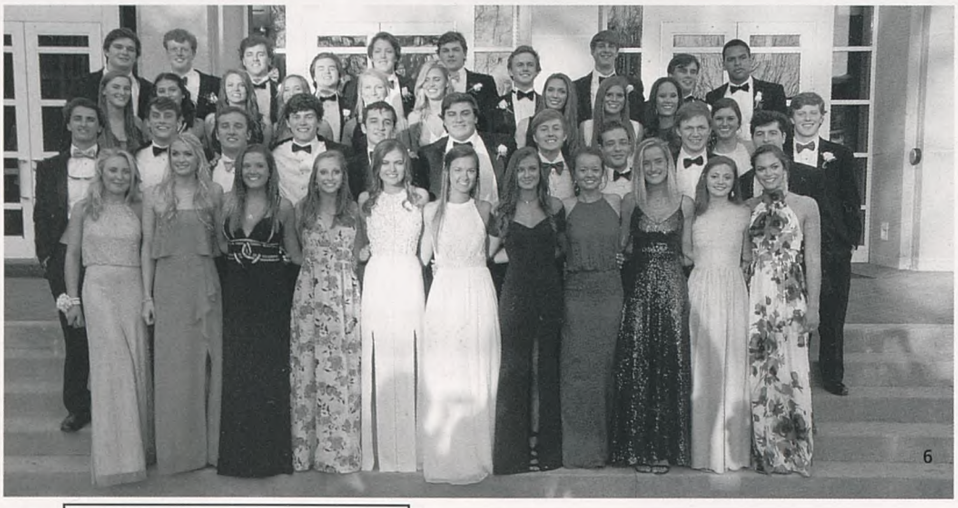
Feature Image: The silver tug of war struggles, losing every time, but still coming out on top and winning the day. 1. Sophomore Charlie Ma runs down Alex McClellan to retake the lead for silver in the 6 by 200 meter relay after Alex pulled a muscle. 2. Jesse Turner and Joseph Scowden man the Grill and Chill station and sell hot dogs and hamburgers during the track events. 3. Microbe Football on the turf gets heated. 4. The silver improv team wins a controversial victory over the more humorous cardinal team with their performance in a amusement park. 5. seniors Christian Williams, Taylor Asher, David Gaw, Sam Smith, and Tanner McCormick compete in the academic portion of the day in the dining hall.

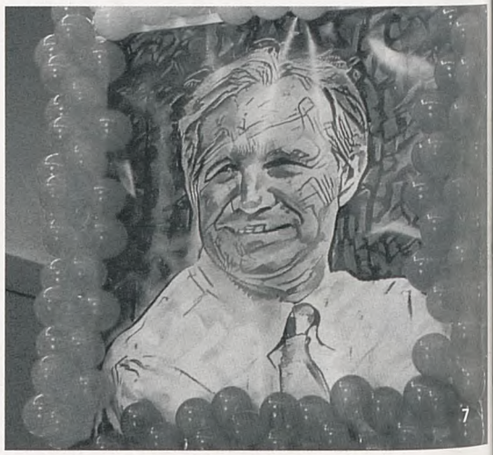
1. A view of the Pop Art decoration. Mr.Morrison brought out his favorite fluorescent paint to bring the theme to life. 2. Joseph Scowden and Grant Green photobomb Bronson Bell's couple picture. Got you good,Bronson. 3. Cutest couple award Keely Hendricks and Clarke Allen. 4. Raise the roof! Andrew Hudson dances the night away. 5. Matching vest, matching smiles - Josh Key and his date pose for the camera.



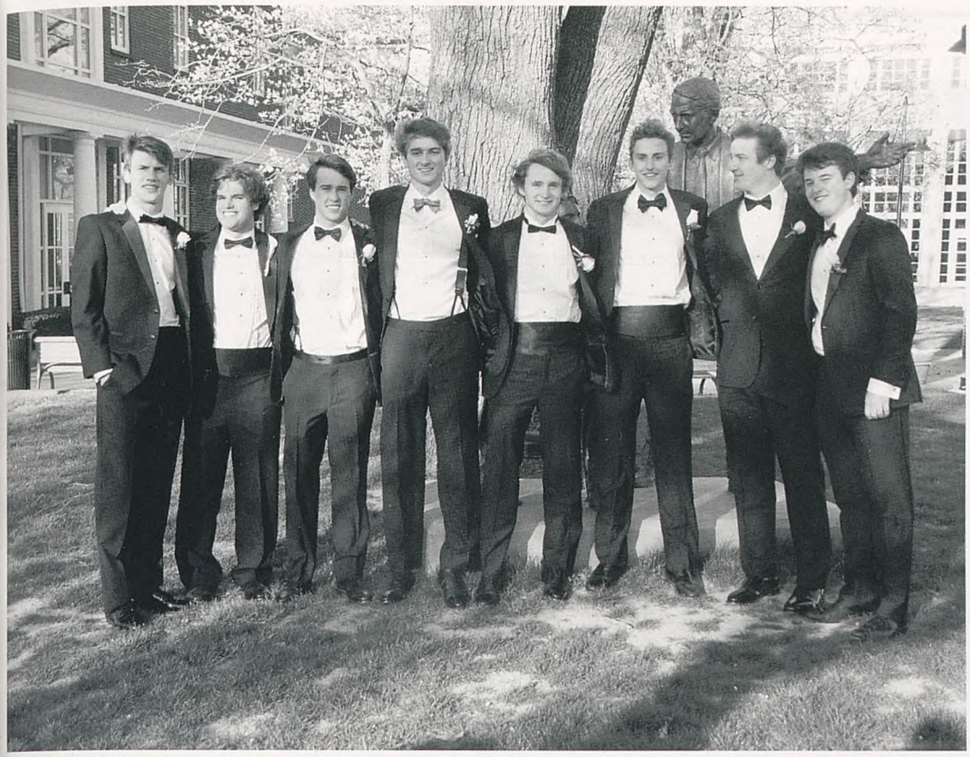








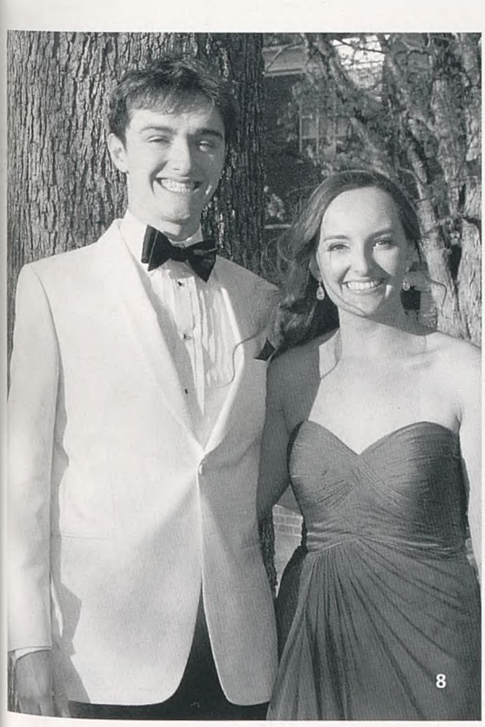
6. A large group of the seniors with their dates before heading into a great dinner in the Dining Hall. This will be night they will remember forever. 7. Mr. Gioia joins in the Pop Art festivities!

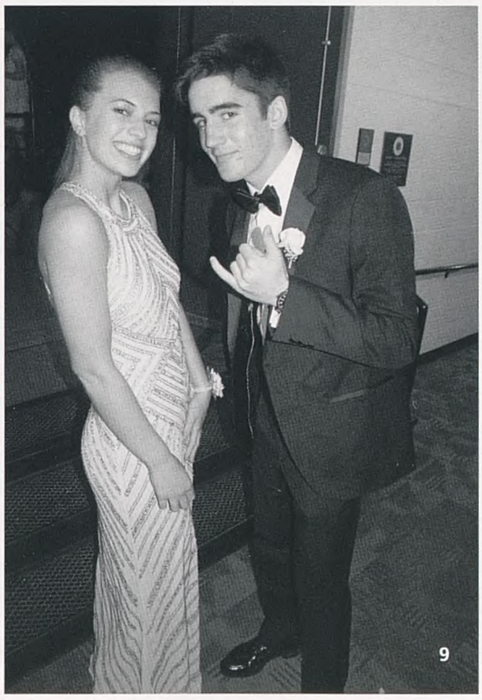


Prom

Warhol's Big Red Party

Because of the extremely hard work from the Junior class, this year's prom was a blast. Deciding on a theme of Pop Art, the theater was decorated with renditions of Andy Warhol, Roy Lichtenstien, and Robert Indiana. The seniors and their dates were treated to a dinner in the Dining Hall which was decorated with original Pop Art artworks of Mr.Gioia, the MBA waffle, and the campus. The dance, with music provided by DJ Swilly-Billy, was a huge success and many couples did not want to leave the dance. A night of fun and dancing, the senior and junior class say thank you to everyone who helped make this year"s prom one of the best.





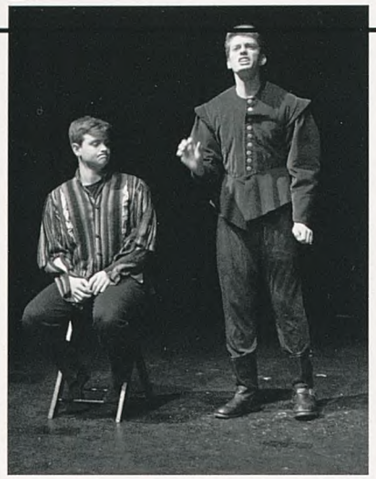
David Gaw and his date had a great time dancing and having fun.

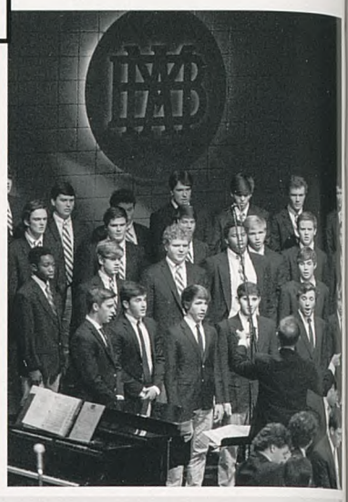
JC Fogg and D'On Coofer pose with their dates as the dance comes to an end and they leave for evening.

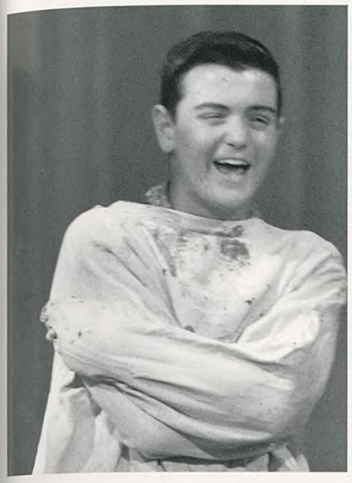
Everyone had the pleasure of learning a couple of new dance moves from Clarke Allen and Keely Hendricks. They are the expert swing dancers.

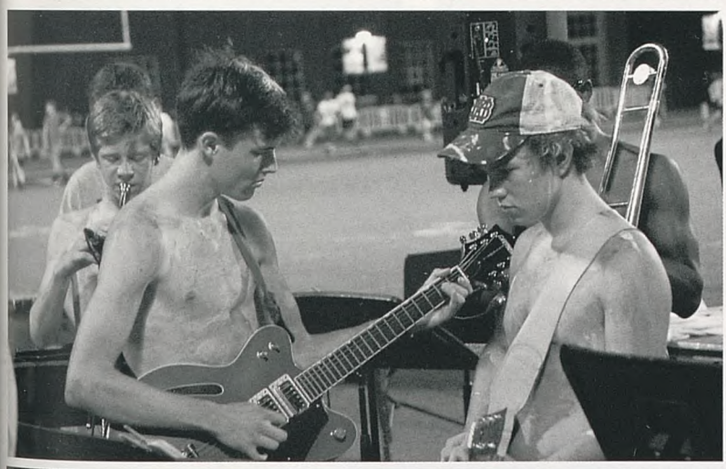
Fearture Image. Pre-dinner pictures on the quadrangle brought together some of the gentlemen from the Class of 2016. 8. Hunter Hamilton sports the white coat, the only senior daring enough to do so this year. Hats off to you sir. 9. "Hang Loose," says Patrick Andreen as his date and him walk into the dance.

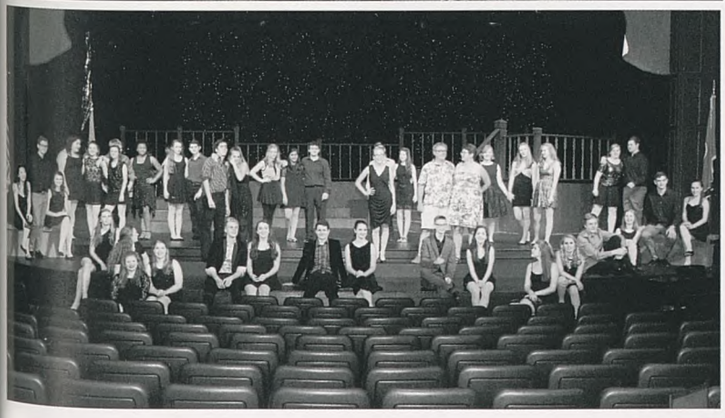
Fine Arts







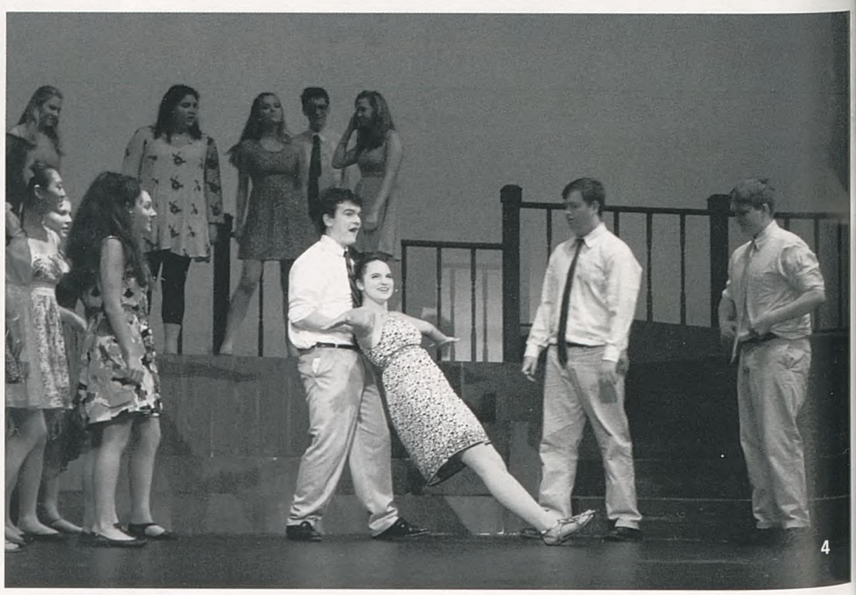




Emma!

A Pop Musical

A modern version of Jane Austin's novel had it's first ever production hosted at Harpeth Hall in 2015. It tells the story of a naive high school senior, Emma, who causes a tremendous amount of drama in an attempt to be a matchmaker. The show starred Eliza Trost as Emma herself and John Fiorivanti as her lover, Jeff Knightly. Other lead roles came from Charlotte Staggs, Jackson Wooten, Matt Remke, Patrick Andrene, Corinne Gibson, and Summer Kapanka, as well as an awesome and enthusiastic ensemble cast. Many members of both Harpeth Hall and MBA's theater troupes thought this musical would have no chance to succeed because of the loss of legends like Jess Darnell, Kirsten Quinn, and many other past senior leaders. However, this cast of many first time performers showed that if you really put your heart to something you enjoy, good will come of it. Emma! A Pop Musical was truly a success and it led to the discovery of some wonderful actors and actresses who will lead the stages of both schools to have some of their best performances yet.

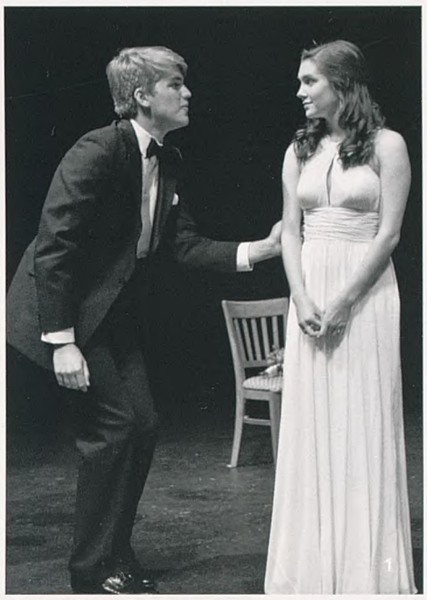


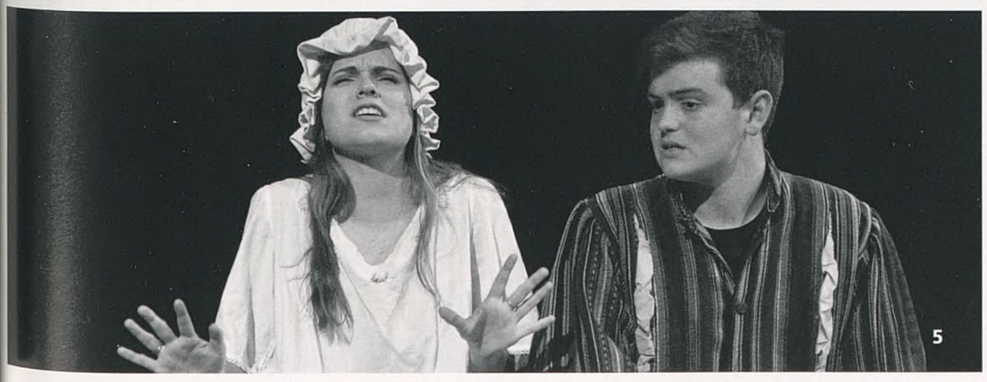
Feature Image. Eliza Trost sits with John Fiorivanti, throughout the play these two go back and forth about their love and the antics of their school. 1. Hudson Coombs, Luke Rochford, and Tanner McCormick sing their hearts out 2. Matt Remke presents Charlotte Staggs with a flower, many would agree that Matt was the cutest of all the actors out there. 3. Jackson "what a heartthrob" Wooten, showed off his instrumental and vocal talents. 4. Eliza Trost falls into the arms of Tanner McCormick, funny thing is they were actually dating off of the stage.

The Big Shorts

Student Directed One Acts

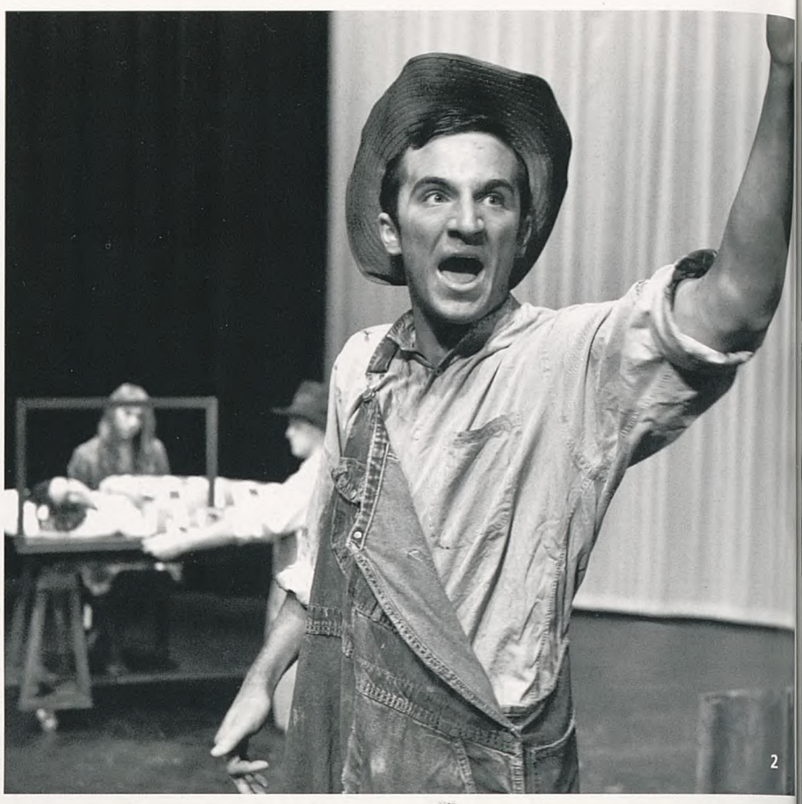
Each year students take their turn in the director's chair and this year the students went above and beyond with the One Act Plays. With performances running from April 27th through the weekend, students were able to showcase their talents with a range of short plays. Directors for the play cast their plays through open auditions and then went through the task of preparing their actors to bring their vision to life. Directors this year were Matt Remke, Hudson Coomps, Tanner McCormick, Nolan Spear, and Drew Gordon. After years of experience in MBA's theater department under expert tutelage, these new directors made their debut with stellar casts to rave reviews.

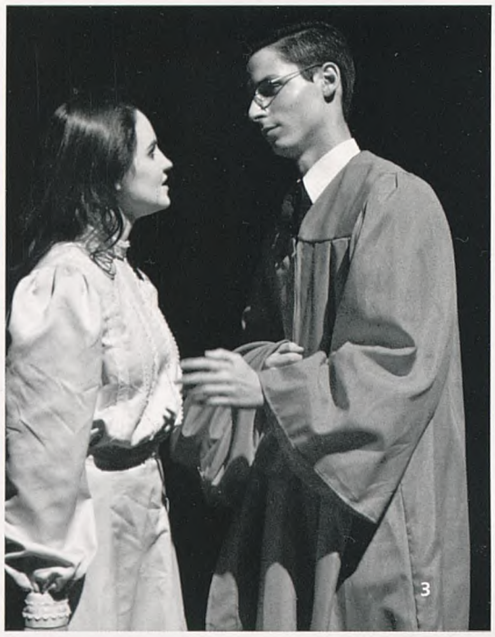


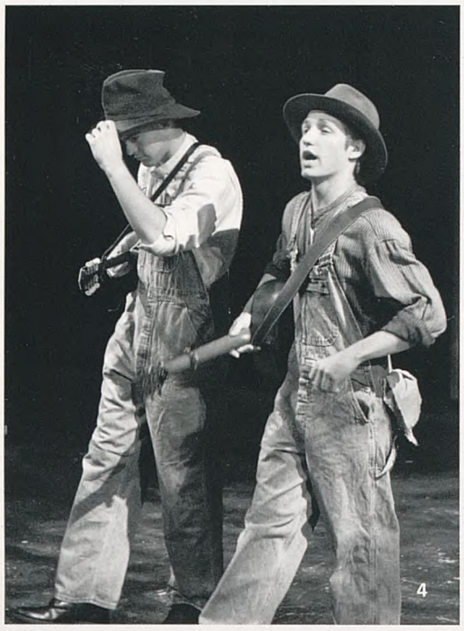


Feature Image. The cast and crew for all five of the one Act plays take a full cast shot. 1. Jackson Wooten and Delaney Jacoway perform in *Bride and Groom*. 2. Devon Rundberg as Jack and Jordan Rosdeutcher as Brody share a reflective moment during *Bromance*. 3. *Business Lunch at the Russian Tea Room* included riveting performances from John Fioravanti and Clarke Allen. 4. John Powell Cooper and Patrick Andreen shared the stage for *Mass Appeal*. 5. Jack Capizzi in the role of George during *The Actor's Nightmare*.

1. Dr. Fuller, the fearless leader of the MBA theater department, has assumed the director role for As I Lay Dying, the Competition One act. 2. Nolan Spear delivers his emotional speech. 3. Drew Gordon, the as the religious religious figure, acts alongside Harpeth Hall superstar Eliza Trost. 4. William Hall sings to the sky, a new singing experience for him. 5. Benton Dodd and Will Gordon play the horses; very well done gentlemen.





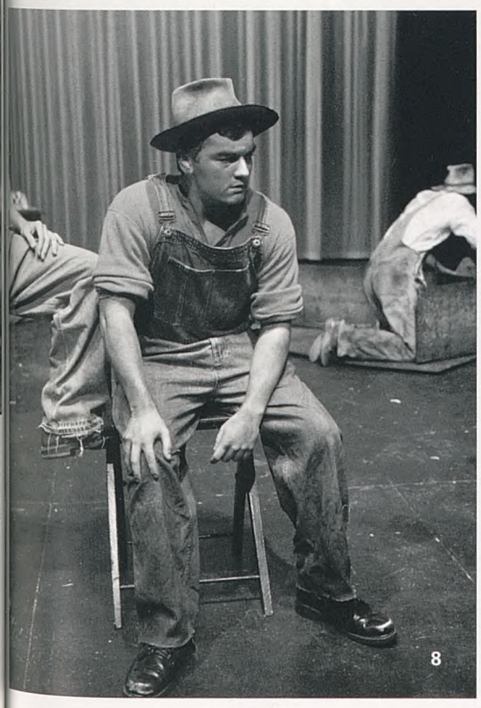


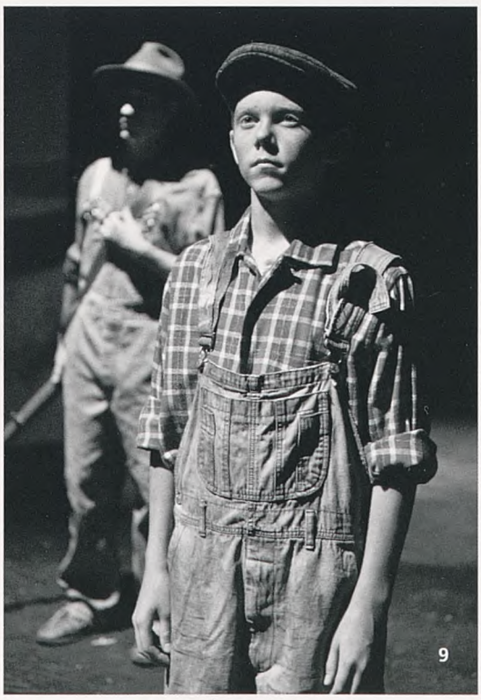
6. Tanner Mccormick (sitting) and Jack Cappiz (standing right) gaze to the sky. Two actors that have solidified the strength of MBA's theater. 7. John Powell Cooper, a future star of the stage, had one of his first larger roles in this production.

As I Lay Dying

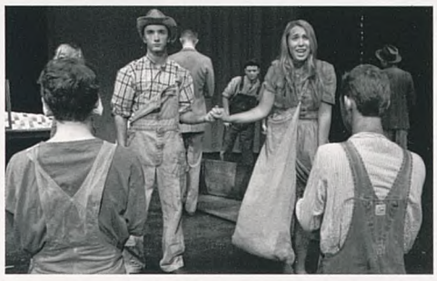
Competition One Act Pay

As I Lay Dying, a novel written by William Faulkner, is a harrowing account of the Bundren family and their odyssey across the Mississippi countryside to bury Addie, their wife and mother. Told in turn by each of the family members, the novel (adapted by Dr.Fuller) ranges in mood from dark humor to deepest pathos. The performance incorporated storytelling techniques with movement and live music. The cast and crew not only played their roles but also became animals and the river. The show was performed at the Tennessee Theater Association competition in October.





Jack Cappizi was one of many actors who showed major potential to be an MBA theater legend in the future.

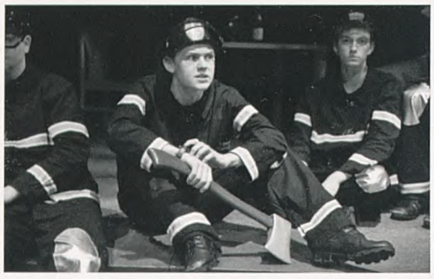


Sophomore Will Trotman holds hands with Sarah Perlin during one of the more jarring scenes in the play.

William Hall and others brought a new element to the show, music. There were many talented musicians within the cast so it was smart to utilize their best qualities.

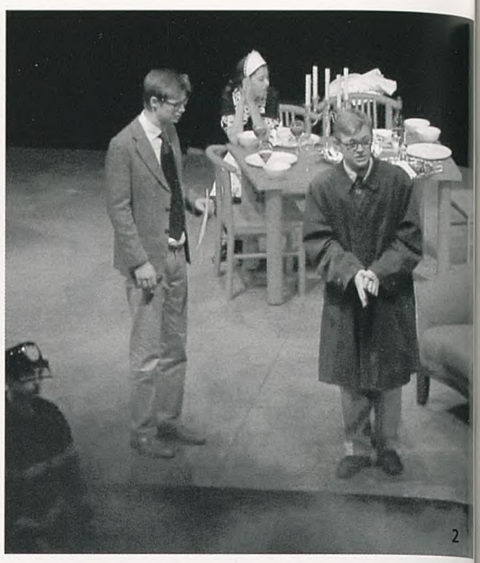
Feature Image. The well played hardened look of the cast members shows through as they gather around during a scene. 8. Senior Tanner McCormick, a theater veteran, was a leader and mentor to many of the younger up and coming actors/actresses. 9. 8th grader Camden Slinger had one of his first large roles in MBA theater. Keep your eye out for Camden the next four years on stage.

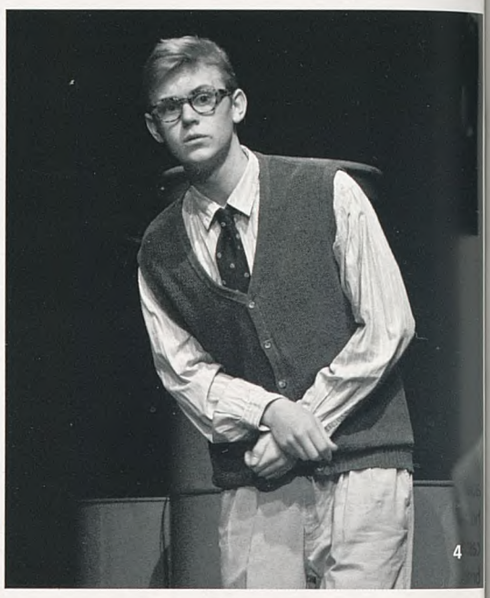
The two suspicious men are invited to dinner with the Biedermann family, where they lack both manners and proper attire.

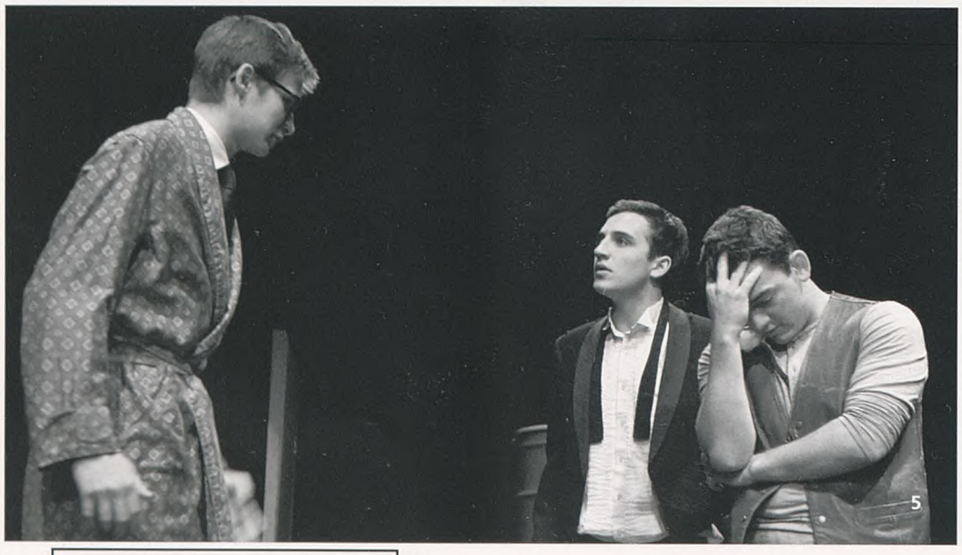


The firemen chorus commented throughout the play on the scenes that occurred and what would happen in the future.

Biedermann, played by Matt Remke, at first fell under the spell of Nolan and Tanner's character's thinking he had become friends with them.





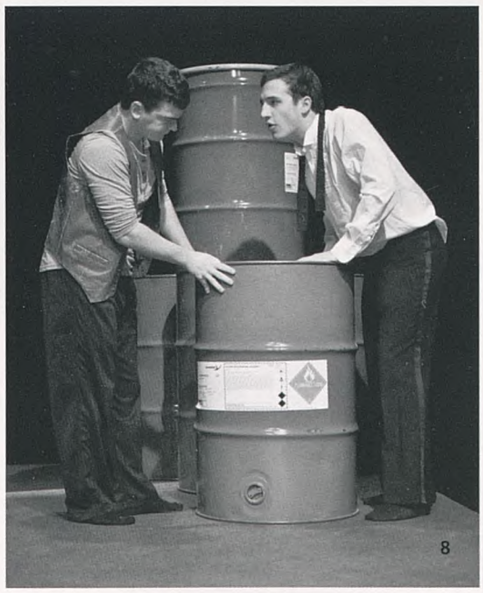


1. Amber Steiglfest played a loud house-servant who is the first to discover Tanner and Nolan's characters true identity. 2. An ominous ending to the play as smoke filled the stage. 3. Nolan Spear gives a monologue as dinner happens behind him. 4. John Powell Cooper plays a Doctor of philosophy. 5. Matt Remke's character was confused for most of the play as Nolan and Tanner's characters were one step ahead. 6. Tanner and Nolan intimidate Matt in this tension filled scene.

The Arstonists

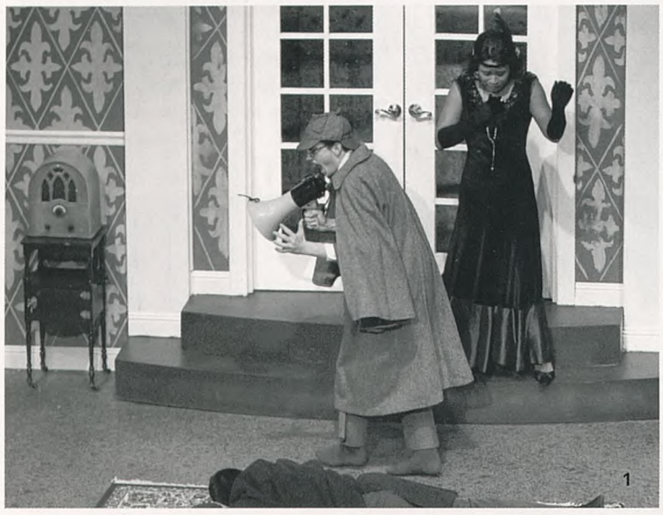
Absurdity and Fire

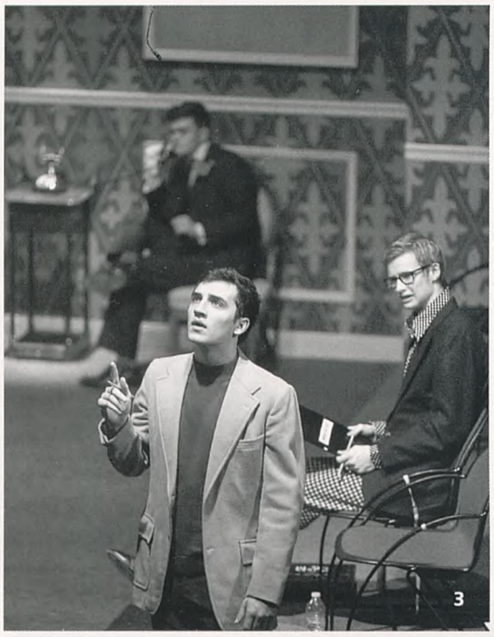
The Arsonists, created by Max Frisch, is a wonderful drama that contains the horror of the audience's own conscience and leaves the viewer wondering as they exit the building. This play holds the key elements of the Theater of the Absurd. Directed by Mr. Morrison and acted by a cast that had just finished another production, this cast worked hard and with enthusiasm to bring this remarkable play to production in just a few short weeks. Senior Matt Remke played Gottlieb Biedermann, a home owner in a town filled with arsonists. Biedermann is visited by two questionable men who seek shelter in his home. These two men are played by Nolan Spear and Tanner McCormick. The two men invade the household through intimidation, flattery, and ambiguity. It turns out that the two men are actually arsonists who have created a plan to burn down the entire city by using Biedermann's house as the focal point and starter of the fire.



Feature Image. Matt Remke plays with live fire on stage surrounded by the chorus of firemen. 7. Curtain Call was a time great appreciation for each performance. 8. Tanner McCormick and Nolan Spear with the barrels hidden in the Biedermann's attic. 9. Nolan Spear and Eliza Trost, playing Biedermann's wife. Nolan's character would often side with Biedermann's wife to win over Biedermann's suspicion of the men.

1.Inspector Harrison Kidd yells into his megaphone. 2. The dead bodies are multiplying as Andrew Falls astutely points out to the audience. 3. Nolan Spear, in his role as a theater critic, gives a monologue to the audience. 4. Austin Streaty and Ashlyn Dentz serve the rich and prove to be a great comedic duo.





5. Jack Cappizi gets clues from Ashlyn Dentz. 6. Matt Remke finds the dead body, played by Brad Holladay. 7. Sophomore Andrew Falls plays Magnus.

The Real Inspector Hound

A Play Inside a Play Inside a Mystery

MBA's adaptation of Tom Stoppard's The Real Inspector Hound ran from February 18-21st in the Paschall Theater. The play featured strong performances from the sophomore class, with the eccentric but always funny Harrison Kidd playing the psychopathic Inspector Hound. Jack Capizzi's dry wit and impeccable comedic timing bolstered his portrayal of the kooky Frenchman, Simon Gascoyne. Junior Austin Streaty elicited the biggest positive reaction from the audience in his theatrical debut as Mr. Drudge, the blind butler. Seniors Nolan Spear and Matt Remke played theater critics, Moon and Birdboot respectively. Despite being wrapped up in their own world throughout the play, each character unwittingly becomes the star of the show. Last but not least Tony Neuhoff helped out with tech.

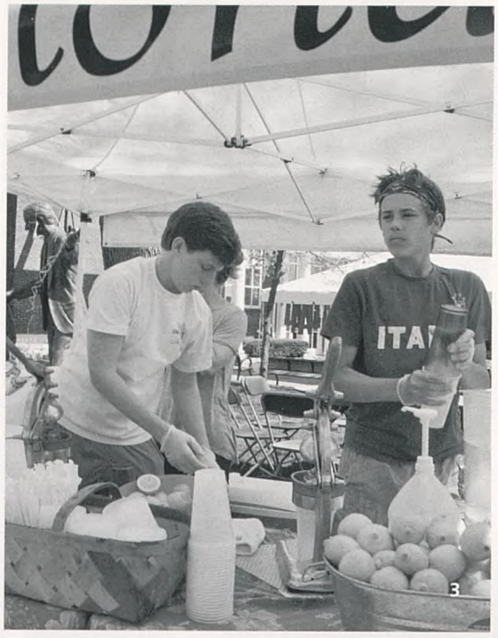
The discovery of the dead body, who stayed on stage for the entire play.

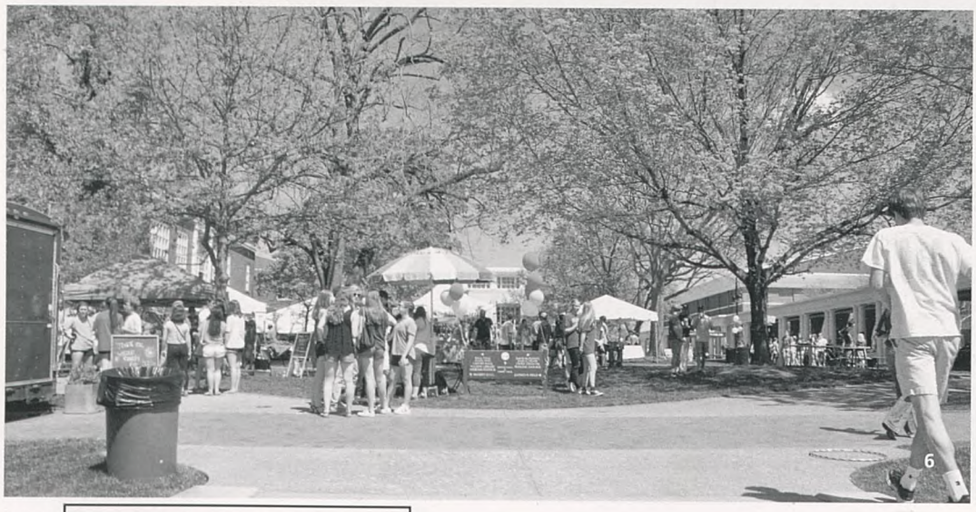
Inspector Hound jumps into to the action, questioning all suspicious people.

Nolan Spear, playing a movie critic, theatrically describes a recent play he saw.

Feature Image. The whole cast marvels at the dead body in the middle of the room. 8. Matt Remke talks with Harpeth Hall students Lillie Penley and Kristen Barrett. 9. Kristen Barrett listens in to Jack Capizzi's conversation.

1. The Grumblebunch rocked the stage, attracting one of the biggest crowds and spreading the message of "Down with the Man." 2. Artist Troy Duff showed off his impressive graffiti work. He also visited art classes earlier in the week and explained more about graffiti as art. 3. Freshmen Henry Hylbert and Nash Crook make lemonade for the masses. 4. A truly beautiful day, thank you rain gods for not raining on that day. 5. One of the changes to this year's Endada was putting a stage out on the front steps to act as an end to the festival zone and to keep the people and the excitement within the quadrangle.





6. Some describe Endada as a festival of bright colors that celebrates creative expression and all that is good in the world. 7. The Grumblebunch will be back next year for their senior show, maybe they will smash two guitars this time...

Endada

A Day of Sun and Fun

If you were to ask almost any MBA student or faculty what their favorite event is on The Hill, Endada would be a common response. 2016 Endada was surely one of the best yet. With each year, the free for everyone music and art festival grows bigger, bringing in new artists and bands from around the nation. The event however would never happen without the tireless effort and brilliance of Ms. Hollifield, she has created and run Endada every year so far. This year also had some of the best senior leaders, Chase Meluch, Charlie Bailey, Jay Shackleford, and many others. Visual artists like Troy Duff sat side by side with MBA artists like Max Turner showing the great art community of Nashville. Music highlights came from student bands Orange Juice and The Vibe and the Grumblebunch. The day was beautiful and everyone cannot wait for next year's festival, which is sure to be even bigger and better!

Ms. Davidson shows off her delightful and tasty work and laughs with a festival goer. She was an awesome addition to Endada's artists.

MBA's improve club drew large crowds and it was nothing but pure comedy. Lots of laughs and giggles were shared by all.

What do you mean we ran out of popcorn?! This was one of the many food possiblities at this year's Endada.

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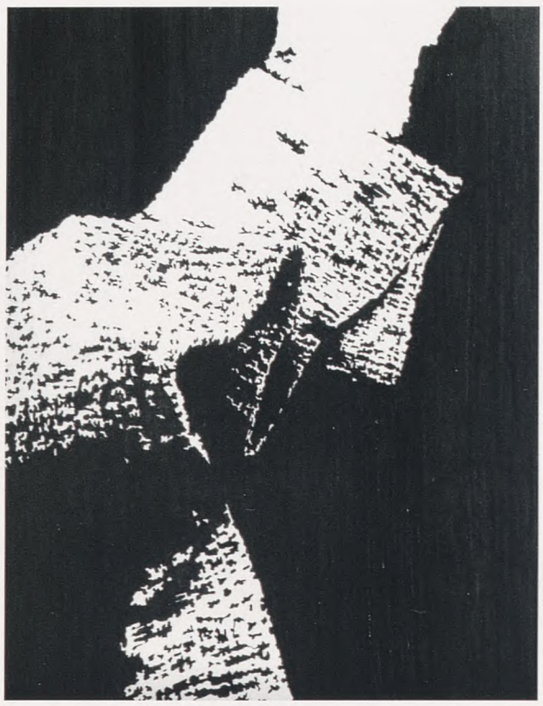
Feature image. A look into the many tents that populated the main quadrangle of MBA's campus. The very pretty weather complimented the bright attitudes of both students and attendees of Endada. 8. Mr.Schlichting gets in on the action as he wipes ink over the screen which prints onto his fresh t-shirt. 9. 8th Grader John Thornton shows off his musical talents on the acoustic stage inside. Can't wait to see John on stage in the future!

Senior AP Studio Artists



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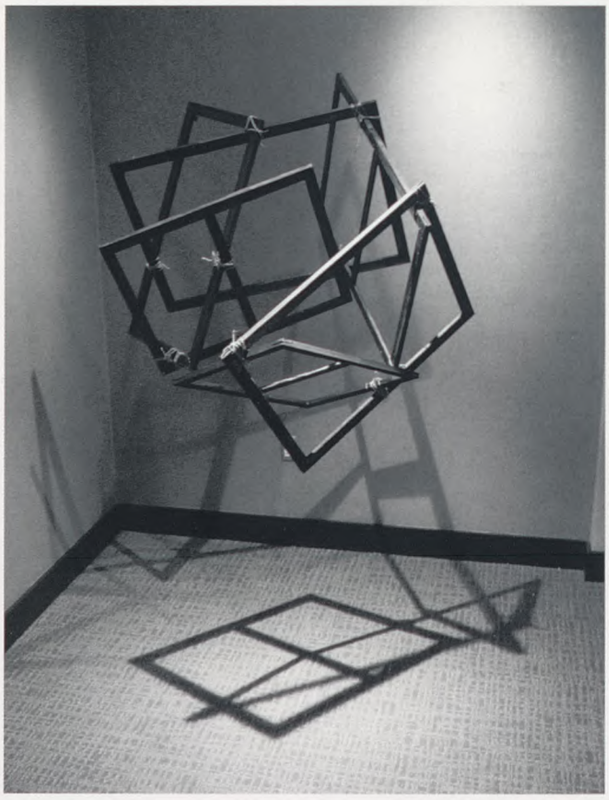

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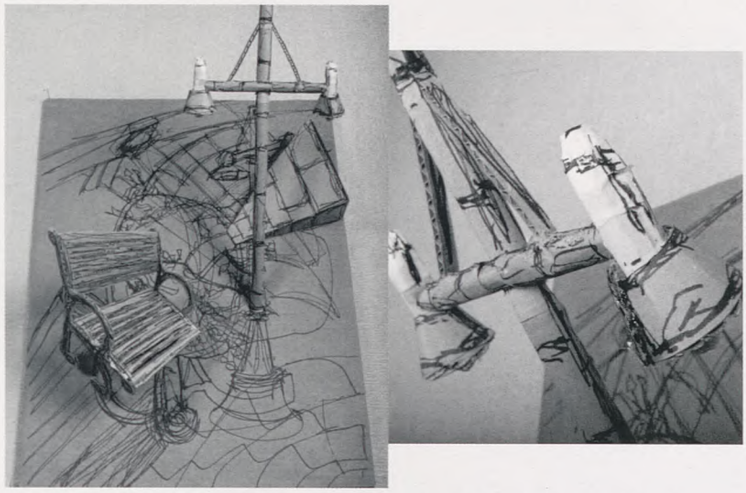

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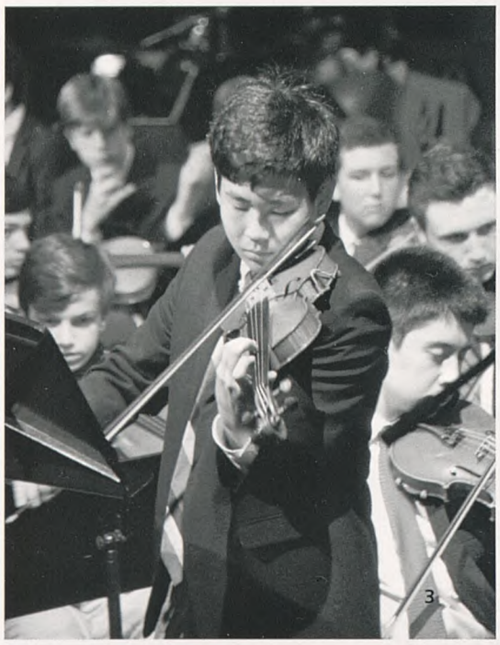
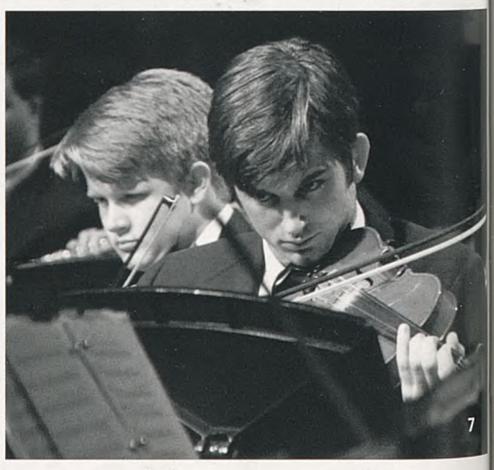
1. Junior Christian Palm concentrates on his sheet of music while playing the cello. 2. Simon Webber plays the cello during a concert. 3. Sophomore Brian Lu stands for a solo during the Holiday Concert. 4. The string section of the MBA orchestra.





5. Mr. Meredith introduces a piece of music he wrote for his wife for their anniversary prior to its debut at the Spring Junior School Arts night. 6. Junior school violin players and Brown Payne the flautist. 7. Senior Charlie Bailey has played the violin for his entire time at MBA.

Orchestra

Beauty Through Music

The Orchestra had a very successful 2016. In February they were blessed to have DECODA, a professional quartet from Carnegie Hall, spend a week working with our students and performing around campus. The group featured Hamilton Berry ('03). The residency culminated with the annual Cellophony concert, led by senior William Hall, which raised over $2,000 to donate to the W.O. Smith School of Music. The Orchestra led by Mr. Meredith has been continually growing for the last couple of years. The members of the orchestra practice in and out of school to create spectacular performances of strength and beauty. Mr. Merideth also organized the visit of Dr. Westney visit first semester which included "The Un-Master Class" which is an interactive performance workshop with music students.

Members of the junior school orchestra, jazz band, and chorus join together at the Junior School Art Showcase.

Mr. Meredith leads the music. He has done a fantastic job growing the orchestra through the years.

Christopher Coburn composed and performed his own piece of music with the orchestra at the spring concert.

Feauture Image. Mr. Meredith conducts the orchestra during the Holliday Concert. 8. Hudson Coombs plays the trumpet. 9. McGavock Cooper plays the violin in the Junior School Orchestra.

1. The Spring Concert had everyone in attendance, even if they came straight from practice. 2. The combined MBA and HH choirs always impress the audience during the Holiday Concert. 3. The Headmaster's Singers perform at functions throughout the year including the Celebrity Chef Dinners. 4. The boys bring down the house at the Mother Son Breakfast with their rendition of "Lullaby."

Vocal Music

Working in Harmony

This year was one of many first for the vocal music program at MBA. In addition to their numerous performances at assemblies, dinners, and in school concerts the boys performed all over the city. One highlight of the year was the performance at Ryman Auditorium. The boys were able to work with other musicians from the area and perform on the famous stage. Vocal music at MBA takes the form of many different groups and combinations including the Headmasters' Singers which is the most visible around campus. This spring the Chamber Choir was invited to perform at the ACDA State Festival for the fifth consecutive year. In addition, we were proud to send five boys (Hayes Alley, Drew Gordon, John Fioravanti, Ray Le, and Brian Lu) to represent MBA at the Tennessee Music Educators All-State Convention.

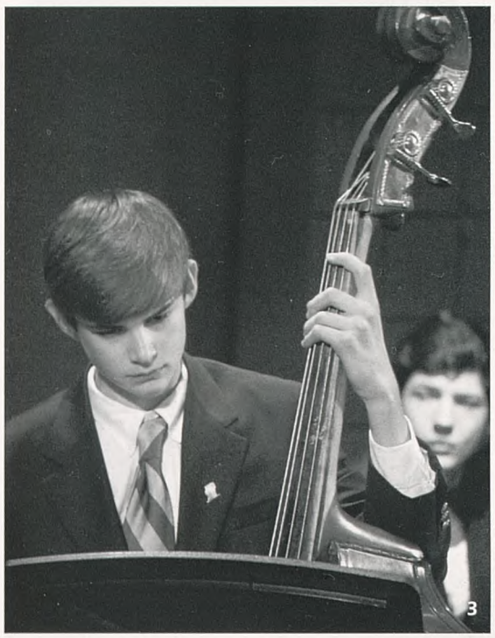
Matt Remke wows the crowd during his emotive solo.

Drew Gordon, Matt Remke, and Luke Rochford perform as part of the Headmasters' Singers.

The chorus combines with Harpeth Hall annually for the Holiday Concert.

Feature Image. The boys are rocking the ties in front of the Ryman Auditorium. 4. Mr. Smyth leads the combined choirs of MBA and HH during the Holiday Concert. 6. All of the MBA choirs combined to end the Holiday Concert with their rendition of "Stopping by the Woods on a Snowy Evening." 7. The Headmaster's Singers performed prior to the Junior Ring Ceremony. 8. Wes Richardson performs as part of the Headmaster's Singers at the Spring Concert. 9. The boys of MBA begin honing their vocal skills during their Junior School years.

1. Senior J.B. Lund plays guitar for the Elliington Band, 2, The alumni jazz band show for returning alumni. 3. Peter Minkoff plays upright bass. 4. Mr. Rundberg introduces his last piece of music at Montgomery Bell Academy during the Spring Concert.



5. Seniors and saxophone players Brinton Hoover and Neal Richardson play together during a concert. 6. The 7th grade jazz band plays strong under the direction of Mrs. Pippin. 7. Senior Brinton Hoover stands for a solo during a concert.

Jazz Band

Rundberg School of Music

After 30 years of service to MBA and the Music department, Mr. Rundberg says goodbye. The Jazz Band was Mr. Rundberg's creation and focus while on campus. The jazz band performed in many showcases, assemblies, and events of the like. Mr. Rundberg inspired many of his students into a love for music and music composition. He led taught alongside Ms. Pippin who conducted the Basie Band. Many members of the Ellington Jazz Band won awards for their music talent and abilities. Mr. Rundberg created a strong and committed group of musical individuals that will continue on The Hill for years and years to come.

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The Junior School Jazz Band is the beginning of all instrumental musical endeavors at MBA and Mrs. Pippin is getting them headed in the right direction.

Mr. Rundberg teaches 7th grade jazz band, where he preaches the ideas of the Rundberg School of Music.

The Ellington Band performed many times for guest speakers and other individuals that visit The Hill.

Feauture Image. Mr. Rundberg conducts the Rock Band, another musical creation of his during his time on The Hill. 8. The Junior School Jazz Band members learn new skills and music. 9. John Jameson plays saxophone for the 8th grade jazz band.

Rock Band

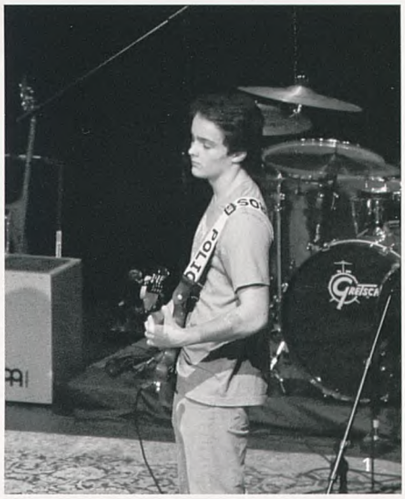
Sweet Caroline

With the end of Mr.Rundberg's time on The Hill came the last year of hearing him direct the Rock Band. The Rock Band of course will continue to be a staple of home football games but without the direction of Mr. Rundberg it will be a little bit different. The Rock Band ranged from setting the atmosphere at the beginning of the game to pumping up the student section with their rendition of Sweet Caroline. They entertained the fans at halftime with their smooth vocals from seniors like Jackson Wootern and Katherine Saul from Harpeth Hall. There were countless beautiful saxophone solos from Devon Rundberg and jamming guitar riffs from JB Lund. Big thanks to Mr. Rundberg for starting this wonderful group and thank you to the rest of the music department for producing some of the best musical displays throughout the year.

Feautre Image. Mr.Rundber's pride and joy, his son Devon, soothes the crowd with his saxophone playing. 1. Sophomore Carter Smith lays the foundation with his piano notes. 2. JB Lund rocks out with some slamming guitar riffs and that awesome tie-dye shirt. 3. Mr.Rundberg leads the charge and sets the atmosphere of the stadium. 4. A great group of students committed extra time outside of school to practice the Rock Band.

Cellophony

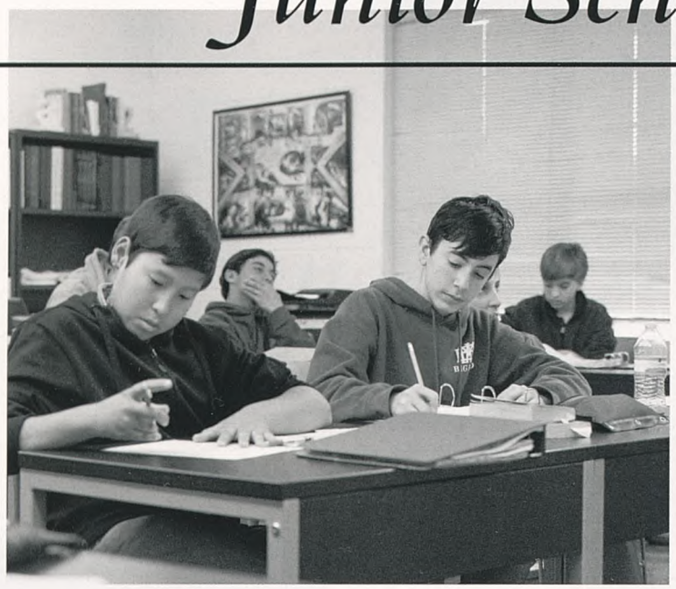
Growing Quickly

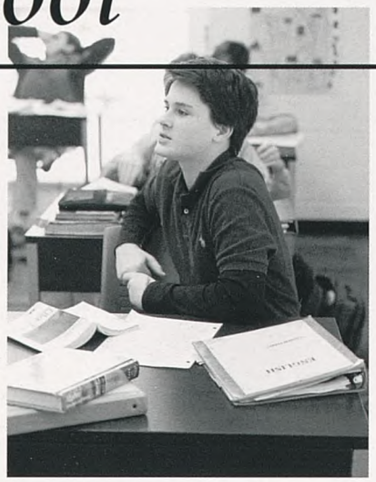


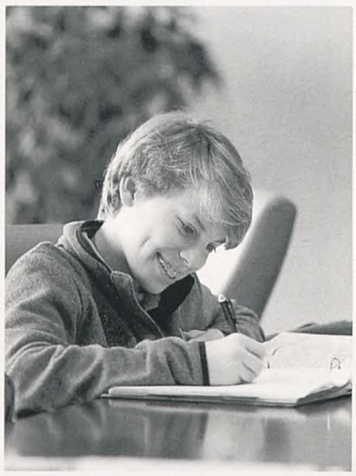
Cellophany is an annual student-run concert that benefits the W.O. Smith Music School. The mission of the W.O. Smith Music School is to make affordable, quality music instruction available to children from low-income families. This year's Cellophany was beyond spectacular. William Hall, the event's Chair, Director, Producer, Designer, and Arranger, put his heart and soul into the performance. WIth the help of Associate Producers Will Trotman, Harrison Avery, and Kat Saul the concert was flawless. It was a show of many well collected and beautifully sounding bands and arrangements from both MBA and Harpeth Hall. The special guest for the night was Decoda: An affiliate ensemble of Carnegie Hall. WIth 3 MBA alums they brought the house down with their wonderful 4 man band. This year's Cellophany brought many young performers from both MBA and Harpeth Hall into the light of their peers. The talent and passion for music showed through to the maximum. It is great to see that the music departments of both schools and Cellophany will continue to grow for years and years.

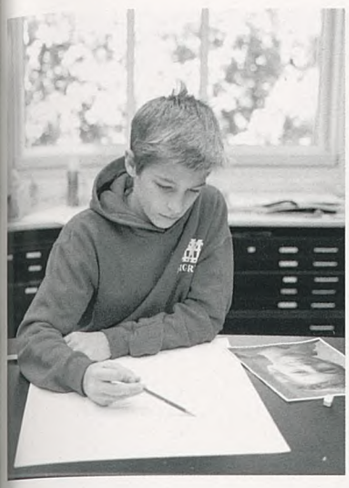
Feature Image. Some of the guys perform Keep Me in Mind by the Zac Brown Band. 1. Ben Gauldin plays bass for his band the Grumblebunch. 2. Williams Hall takes the audience's breath away with his solo performance of Hallelujah I Love Her So. 3. The powerful four singers of Luke Rochford, Will Gray, Wes Richardson, and Zac Jernigan brought down the house. 4. William Hall and Jackson Meredik serenade the audience. 5. Cellophany was lucky to have Mr.Meredith and the orchestra join in for the fun.

Junior School









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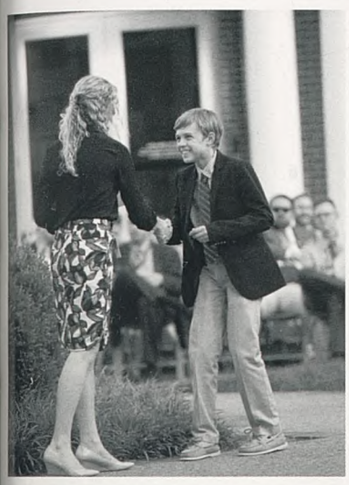

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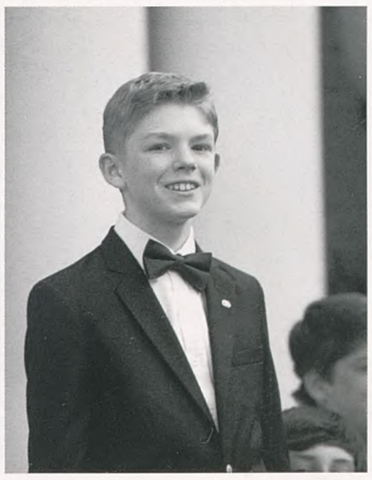


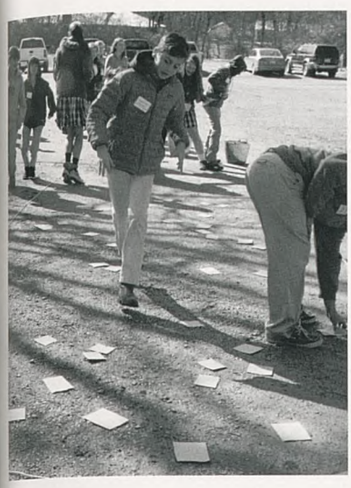
Maggie Qian

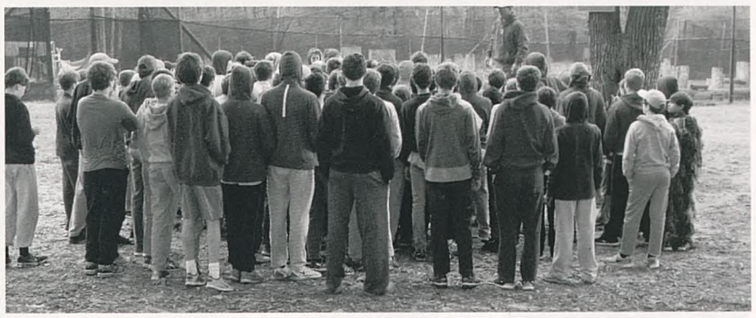
2016 Junior School Dedication

Born in Communist China, Mrs. Qian personally dealt with the restrictions and difficulties of that time period. She graduated from the Shanghai Teachers' University and eventually found her way to Nashville, enrolling her son at MBA. After recognizing her extraordinary knowledge of mathematics, Mr. Gioia offered her a job at MBA and she started teaching on The Hill in 1996. Her work with the MathCounts team has been legendary, winning more state championships than any other teacher in Tennessee. She is one of the most determined and competitive coaches on the MBA campus. Mrs. Qian developed the MathCounts team at MBA and continues to build her team through summer camps and year round coaching. Her dedication to student success is not limited to the students in MathCounts however. She continually works with her students to help them achieve high marks while learning new and complex mathematical theories. It is with great pleasure that The Bell staff dedicate the Junior School section of the yearbook to Mrs. Qian for her enthusiasm and dedication to MBA.

Feature Image. Mrs. Qian was all smiles in 2007 following the MathCounts State Championship win. 1. Another successful MathCounts team as Mrs. Qian leads them to the state championship s this year 2. Mrs.Qian has always enjoyed participating in the Student-Factuly charity basketball game. 3. Mrs. Qian from 1998, one of her first years on The Hill. 4. The 2003 MathCounts team wins gold with Mrs. Qian as their fearless leader.

Winning the tip off for a good cause. Mrs. Qian has enjoyed participating in the Student-Faculty Basketball game as the students pledge to donate money to see her win the beginning of the game tip off. She is always a great sport and the students appreciate her activity in the MBA community.





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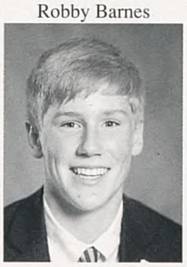
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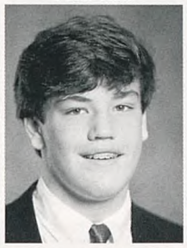
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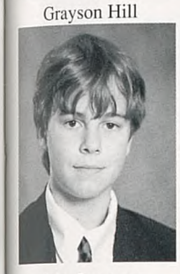
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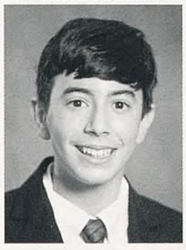
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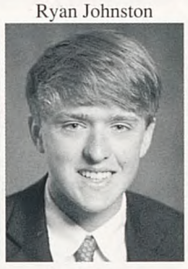
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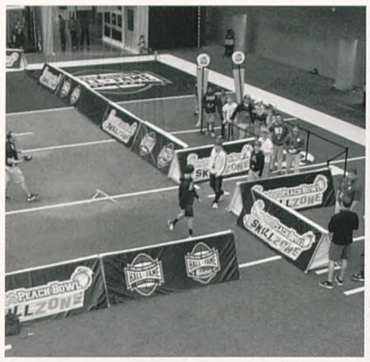

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Peter Minkoff

John Moore

Michael Morrow

Clay Overholt

Brown Payne

Kiran Peterson

Grant Pinson

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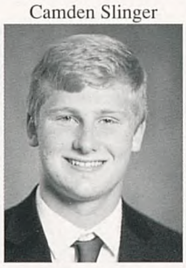
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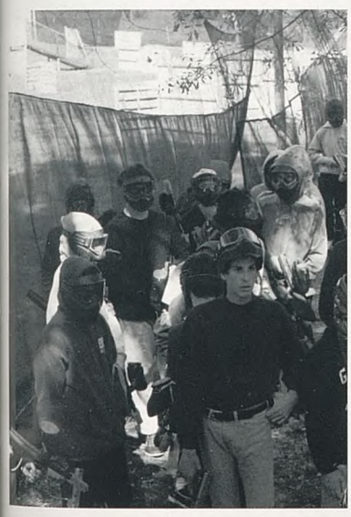

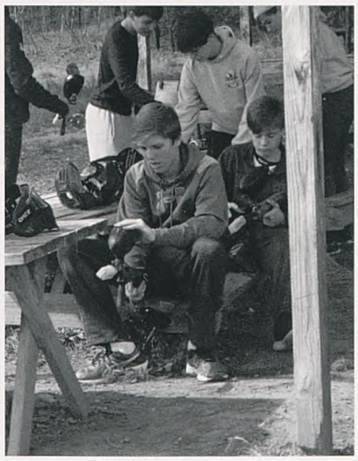

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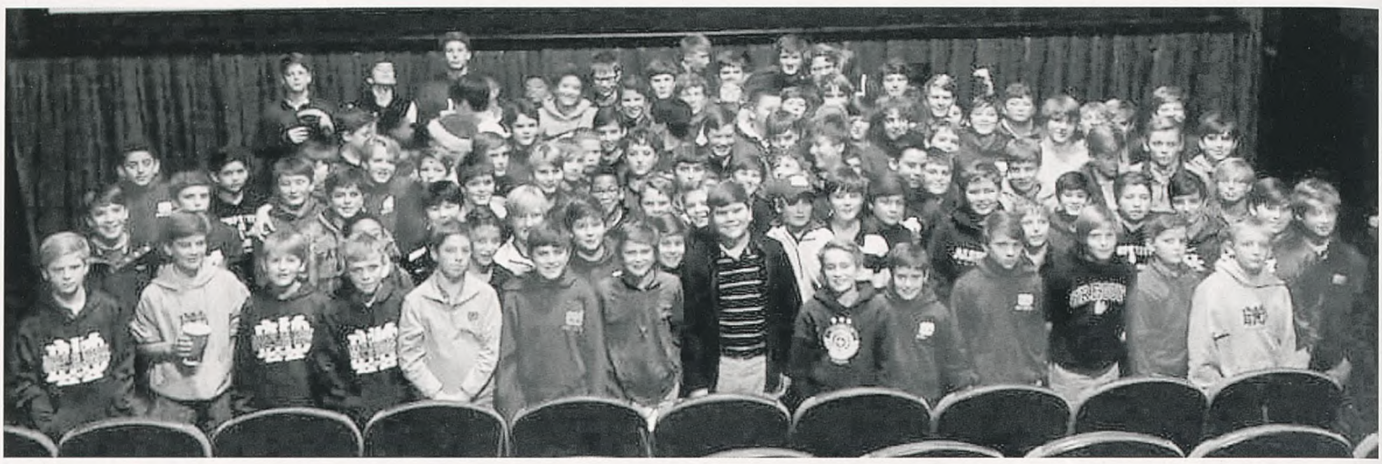

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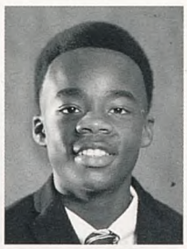
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Tripp Chamblin

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John Crawford

Clay Crews

Breckenridge Curnutte

Max Dillon

Foster Edwards

Jack Edwards

Eli Fails

Garth Fails

Swope Fleming

Matthew Fox

Sebastian Garcia

Adam Garfinkel

Jack Gauldin

Dan Gaw

Max Giorgio

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Colyer Haddock

Charlie Hansen

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Ben Harris

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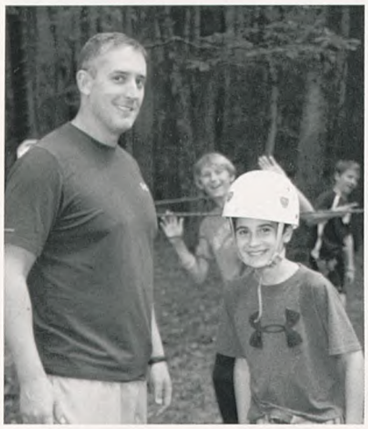

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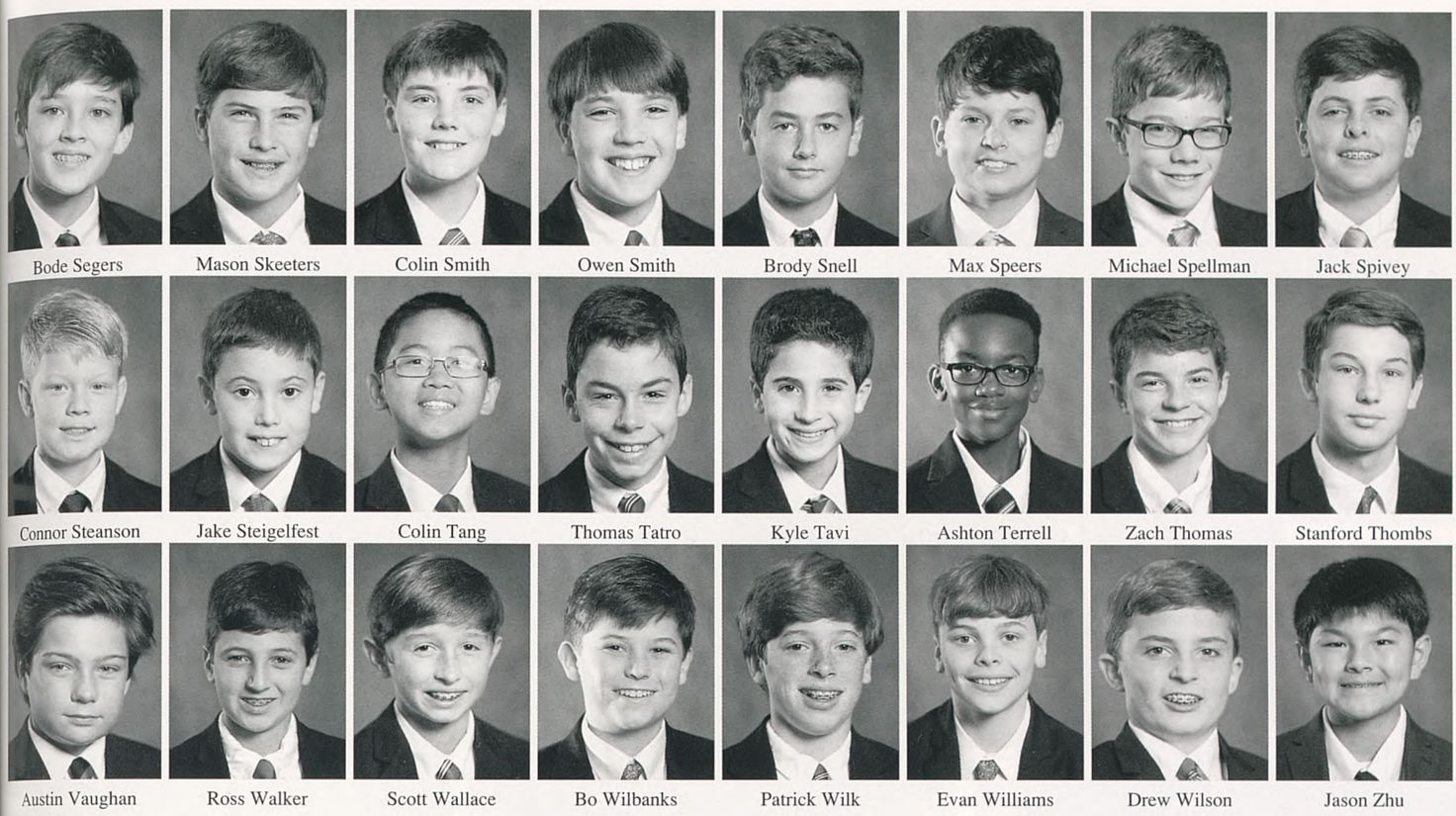

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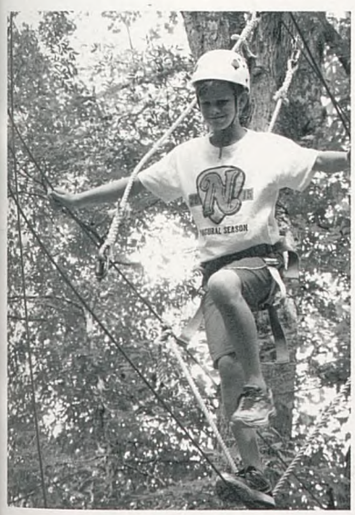

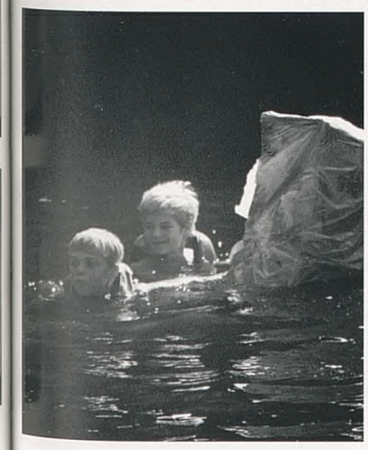

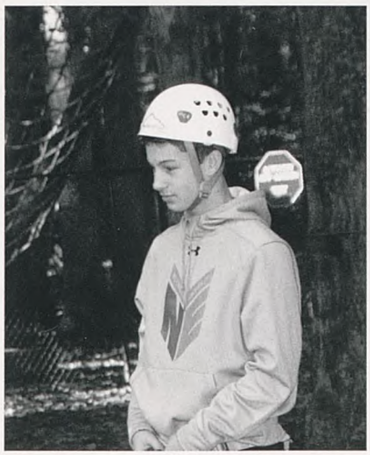

Camp Laney

Great Times with New Friends

On Wednesday, September 16, the seventh graders embarked on an epic journey to Mentone, Alabama. Once they arrived at Camp Laney, they set out to conquer the most intimidating and most fun ropes courses ever. The best obstacle was the Kamikaze, which was basically a huge swing. Other activities included tennis, battleball, an evening around the fire, and talks about how to prepare for MBA. The last morning students were given a box, some plastic, and a roll of duct tape with which to construct a boat. The challenge of constructing a boat that would then compete against others was a fun, if not a little daunting, task. Cabin 11 came out on top and was one of the few boats to cross the water more than once. It was a great experience for all of the seventh-graders. It was a great bonding opportunity and a chance to conquer epic ropes courses. Many boys conquered their fears on this trip, and many became better men.

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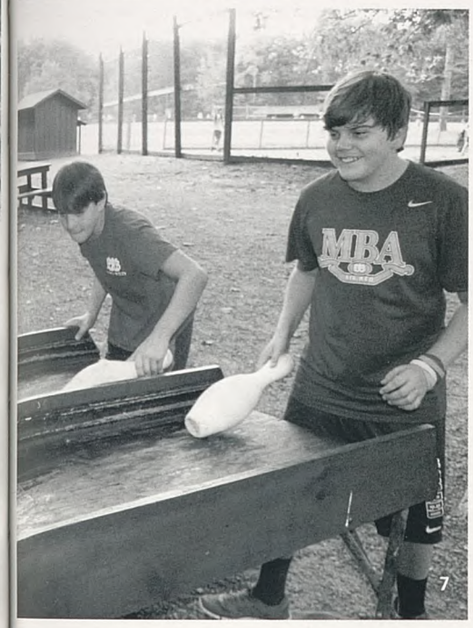
Feature Image. With their boat ready for the water these boys are excited for competition. 1. The boys are ready for another exciting day. 2. Nothing says joy like chicken fingers and mac-n-cheese. 3. Preparing their boat for the water, these boys are hoping for the best. 4. Jack Spivey practices his backhand.

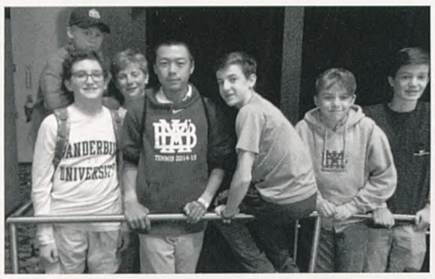


5. Will Brownie glides back to camp after his turn on the zipline. 6. Building new bonds with friends is one of the main reasons for the trip to Camp Laney. 7. Owen Smith and Will Renkis learn some new skills with this bowling game. 8. The game of Battleball left only one standing, Ashton Terrell. 9. Gathered around the fire at night the boys learned more about becoming a gentleman, scholar, and athlete while at MBA.

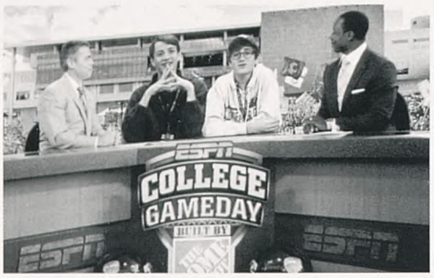
This team is ready for the whistle for the next round of Battleball.

Helmets are a must when preparing to go on the zipline.

"I made it!" says Ashton Terrell after his successful trip down the zipline.

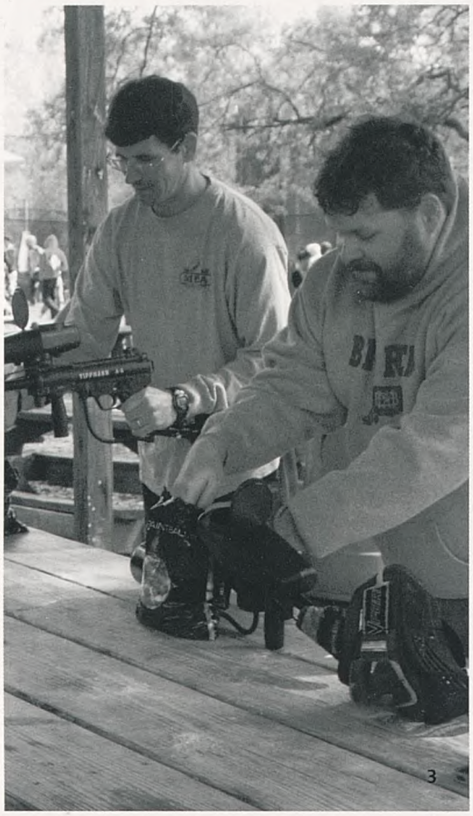


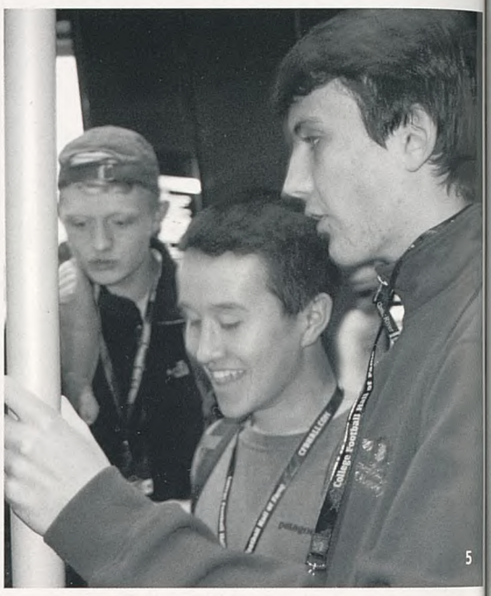
Class of 2020 got to visit the College Football Hall of Fame while in Atlanta.



Walker Cain and John Sewell join in on the ESPN College Gameday broadcast during their quick visit to Atlanta.

A small throwing competition in the College Football Hall of Fame. John Wallace dominates.



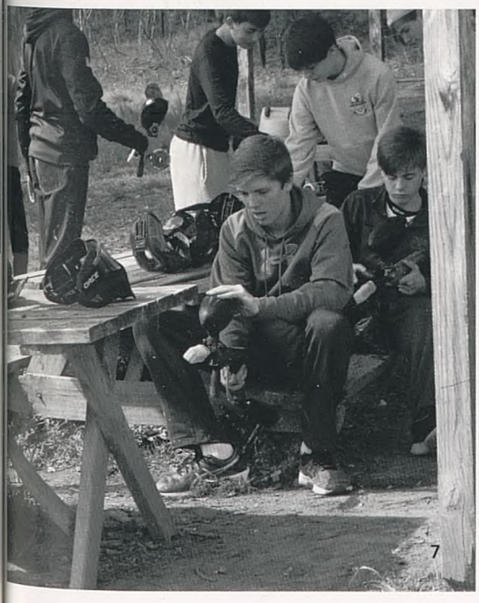


1. A section of the 8th graders wait for their helmets at Andretti World before they go go-karting. 3. Mr.Russ and Mr.McMurry prepare for the onslaught of 8th graders. 5. Tate Dillon, Ike Cravens, and Logan Vick looking at pictures at the College Football Hall of Fame 6. Watching on as their peers compete in a throwing competition at the College Football Hall of Fame. 7. While everyone is enjoying the Braves Game John Wallace is having none of it.

Atlanta Trip

Goodbye Junior School

Everyone remembers the 8th grade trip... From paintball to the Braves game, there are many great memories to be made and cherished forever. Let us also not forget that you are also saying goodbye to the Junior School forever and about to enter high school. The Class of 2020 got to enjoy time playing paintball, visiting Six Flags over Georgia, driving go-karts, and watching the Atlanta Braves play. On the way down to Atlanta, the almost new high school students got to visit the College Football Hall of Fame where they were tested in a throwing competition and knowledge about college football. Then onto Andretti World, the Class of 2020 sped through the games and go-karting. The next day was paintball, a day of fear and fun. Cardinal destroyed Silver, pinning them back into their own spawn point. That night the 8th graders enjoyed the Braves Game and the next day headed home but stopped at the Six Flags.

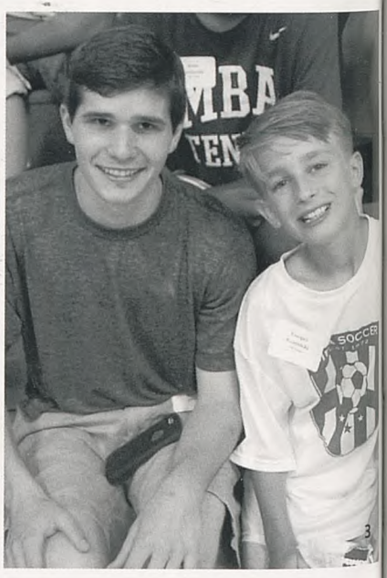


Feautre Image. The Class of 2020 preparing to enter Six Flags over Georgia. 7. Noah Mendoza prepares his weapon for the paintball hunt of Junior School teachers. 8. On the prowl for the teachers. 9. Will Farner gets ready to win the go-kart race against his peers.

Big Brother Little Brother

New and Old

Over the last few years the Big Brother, Little Brother program has grown into a much loved part of the transition to the MBA community. Starting before the year even gets into full swing the seniors have activities with their little brothers to help them get comfortable on campus and make that first day even easier. On the first day of registration seniors pick up their little brothers and after the entering seventh graders sign the Registrar they enjoy breakfast in the Dining Hall. The seniors then ceremoniously pin their little brothers with the MBA waffle. This pin serves as a sign of their part of the MBA brotherhood during their Junior School years until they become ninth graders and receive their patch. Th mentoring continues throughout the year with activities during football, basketball, and soccer games as well as the occasional battleball tournament during break. Students have one last bet together to celebrate the completion of the seventh graders' first year on The Hill and the seniors' upcoming graduation. The year is one of firsts for the new students and this program helps them make a great transition in addition it serves as a reminder to the seniors that there are students looking up to them and they are the leaders on campus.



Feature Image. William Hall and Buchanan Lindsey stop for a quick picture before grabbing breakfast on registration day. 1. Thomas McRae and Jesse Turner enjoyed an activity as part of one of the home basketball games. 2. Corbitt Dicker guides his little brother, Zach Ricciardelli, through the dining hall to show him the ropes. 3. Hunt Smith and Cooper Rzasnicki take in the basketball game together.

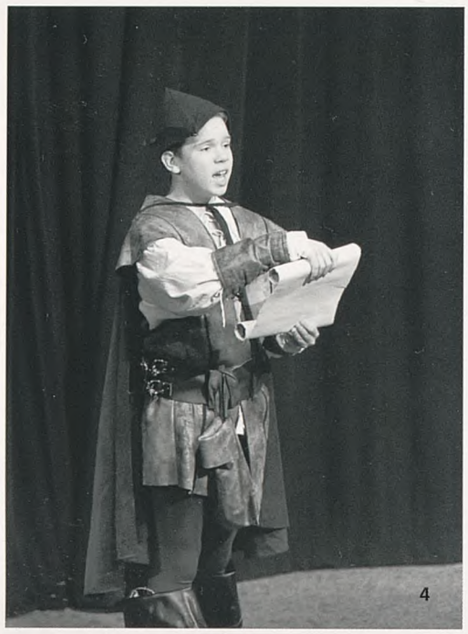
Matthew Robbins with his little brother Ian Bernatavitz at breakfast.

The big brothers and little brothers worked together at a service project in the fall.

Jack King and his little brother, Joseph Robertson, enjoy breakfast before the pinning ceremony.

4. Before the year even started the boys all got together for some fun and games, like this water balloon toss. 5. Frank Bass and his big brother, Chapman Malone, have breakfast on the first day of registration. 6. Joseph Scowden doesn't take it easy on the little brothers in this game of battleball. 6. Connor Downey pins his little brother as a welcoming into the MBA community. 9. As a part of the Big Brother Little Brother service day this group worked on planting trees and cleaning brush in the park.

1. Spoons seem to be the weapons of choice to ward of the guards played by Matthew Miller and Nick Bailey. 2. Prince John played by John Thornton and John Jameson as the Sheriff of Nottingham work on how to deal with the problem of Robin Hood. 3. Thomas Peterson as the Town Guy in a pivotal scene with Tim Blaufuss as Robin Hood.



4. Reading a proclamation from Prince John is Robin Hood, played by Tim Blaufuss. 5. Robin Hood works to win over Lady Marian with his Merry Men there to support him. 6. The Merry Men declare their loyalty before Robin Hood and the Town's Guy. 7. John Thornton, nailed the role of Prince John in each performance.

The Somewhat True Tale of Robin Hood

The Junior School Production

This year's production from the Junior School was *The Somewhat True Tale of Robin Hood.* Including a cast and crew of 20 students under the direction of Mr. Berry, the play was a great success. Taking place over the course of three performances the actors were met with great crowds to see this production. The take consists of Robin Hood, played by Tim Blaufuss, taking on the evil Prince John, played by John Thornton. The pay was full of standout performances and great duels, or bowling matches as the case was for the hand of Lady Marian. The audience and technical team also played a role in the production and ultimate success of Robin Hood.

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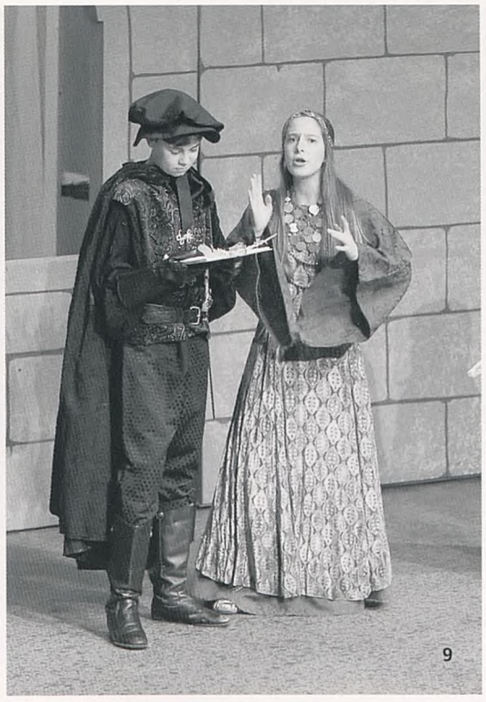

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Who needs swords when spoons will do the trick against Prince John and the Sheriff of Nottingham?

Once again, spoons are all one needs to take down the evil Sheriff of Nottingham.

Robin Hood, aka Tim Blaufuss, works to bring others to his side against Prince John.

Feature Image. Tim Blaufuss in the title role talks to his Merry Men about his plans to defeat Prince John. 8. While sporting an elaborate disguise Robin Hood takes on the establishment. 9. Katie Mendes, in her role as Lady Marian, makes her case to the Sheriff of Nottingham, played by John Jameson.

Baseball A - HVAC Champs

Row 1: Drake Golenor, Coach Golenor, Pops, Trainer David Smith, Coach Story, Jack Silvester, Will Crawford, McGavock Cooper, Tripper Capps, John Hyde, Brennan Roach, Ned Freeland, Eric RussFront; Row 2: Samuel Kirkpatrick, Patrick Powell, Grant Pinson, Mark Pyburn, Harrison Hitt, Jack McKennon, Graham Holzapfel, Jake Stumb, Jacob Hanai

Baseball B

Robby Barnes, McGavock Cooper, Max Dillon, Swope Fleming, Dan Gaw, Charlie Hansen, Dudley Harmer, Zak Herbstreit, Dustin Lee, Kinton Lewis, Bennett MacCurdy, Peter Minkoff, Joshua Moore, Patrick Powell, Mark Pyburn, Zach Thomas, Austin Vaughan

Basketball A

Stephen Avery, Lucian Brunetti, Tripper Capps, Cole Carr, McGavock Cooper Tate Dillon, Ned Freeland, Harrison Hitt, Noah Mendoza, Will Montana, William Roberts, Eric Saul

Basketball B

Maxwell Battle, Will Coulthard, Dan Gaw, Colyer Haddock, Samuel Kirkpatrick, Luke McSween, Mark Pyburn, William Tyrone, Matthew Ulm, Nick Viars, Logan Vick

Basketball C

Kendrick Abernathy, Frank Bass, Sam Batholomew, Ian Bernatavitz, Clay Crawford, Max Dillon, Matthew Fox, Luke Jackson, Turner Kirkland, Dustin Lee, Zach Thomas, Patrick Wilk

Bowling

Winter 1: Max Spears, Owen Smith, Flynn McRae, Garth Fails, Braden Beach, Will Coulthard, Benjamin Sensing, Landis Hall, Jack McKennon, Graham Holzpafel, McGavock Cooper Quinn Trabue Davis Blankenship
Winter 2: Will Renkis Will Bostelman, Ramsay Cole, Davis Blankenship, Jackson Collins, Finn Houghton

Crew

Fall: Ian Bernatavitz, Dustin Lee, Will Renkis, Will Bostelman, Evan Williams, Austin Roth, Mauro Mastrapasqua, Colin Smith, Don Pierce, Buchanan Lindsey, Bennett MacCurdy Lee Loving, Rex Allsep, Thomas Tatro Eli Kampine, Andrew Bulgarino, Quinn Kunath, Rasheed Sarieh, Ross Walker, Braden Beach, Jed Neal, Austin Vaughan, Jason Zhu, Joseph McDugald, Peyton Green, Brody Snell, Wyatt Bettis, Michael Spellman,Stephen Avery, Harrison Hitt, Samuel Kirkpatrick, John Graham, Brown Payne, Sjef Quaedvlieg, Quinn Trabue, Walker Cain,Max Watts, Joseph Lucas, Ryan Johnston, Grant Pinson, Noah Rosdeutscher, Wesley Hirschman,
Spring: Colin Smith, Lee Loving, James Murph, Burke Owens, Ben Harris, Owen Albright, Landis Hall, Wesley Hirschman, Creighton Laub, Brennan Minkoff, Matthew Ulm

Cross Country - HVAC Champs

Grayson Adams, Frank Bass, Joseph Bellardo, Davis Blankenship, Brycen Brown, Zach Brown, William Clark, Will Coulthard, Clay Crawford, Jack Crawford, Will Crawford, Jack Edwards, Ben Galanter, Sebastian Garcia, Adam Garfinkel, Jacob Hanai, Harrison Holman, Finn Houghton, Will Huizinga, John Hyde, Lloyd Ivester, Matthew Kaplan, Turner Kirkland, Jack Larish, Ben Locke, Charlie Mason, Will McEvoy, Matthew Milan, Will Montana, Luke Morad, Luke Mryncza, Elliott Nahmias, Norris Orndorff, Frank Perazzini, Kiran Peterson, John Powers, Carter Reynolds, William Rogers, Cooper Rzasnicki, Bode Segers, Colin Tang, Kyle Tavi, Ashton Terrell

Football 7th Grade

Kendrick Abernathy, Sam Bartholomew, Maxwell Battle, Parker Bowling, Licien Brunetti, Lucas Cashwell, Ramsay Cole, John Crawford, Clay Crews, Max Dillon, Foster Edwards, Swope Fleming, Matthew Fox, Jack Gauldin, Dan Gaw, Warner Greene, Colyer Haddock, Charlie Hansen, Zak Herbstreit, James Kinard, Trent Lamar, Ethan Lilly, Mario Mansour, Charlie Mason, Thomas McRae, Sam Meacham, Joshua Moore, James Murff, Stokes Myers, Burke Owens, Thomas Peterson, Jackson Pickett, Carson Potter, Mark Pyburn, Zach Ricciardelli, Max Scheele, Mason Skeeters, Owen Smith, Connor Steanson, Zach Thomas, Stanford Thombs, Bo Wilbanks, Patrick Wilk, Drew Wilson

Football 8th Grade

Owen Albright, Robby Barnes, Cole Carr, McGavock Cooper, Ike Cravens, Tate Dillon, Will Farner, Andrew Ferris, Tully Fitzpatrick, Ned Freeland, Campbell Garber, Spencer Grohovsky, Peter Hall, Michael Hoffman, Graham Holzapfel, Steven Mason, Jack McKennon, Noah Mendoza, John Moore, Clay Overholt, Patrick Powell, David Roach, William Roberts, Eric Russ, Benjamin Sensing, Jack Silvester, Marc Stanley, Turner Stevens, Jake Stumb, William Sullivan, Forrest Sutphin, Cade Thornton, Jordan Turks, William Tyrone, Matthew Ulm, Nick Viars, Logan Vick

Golf - Fall

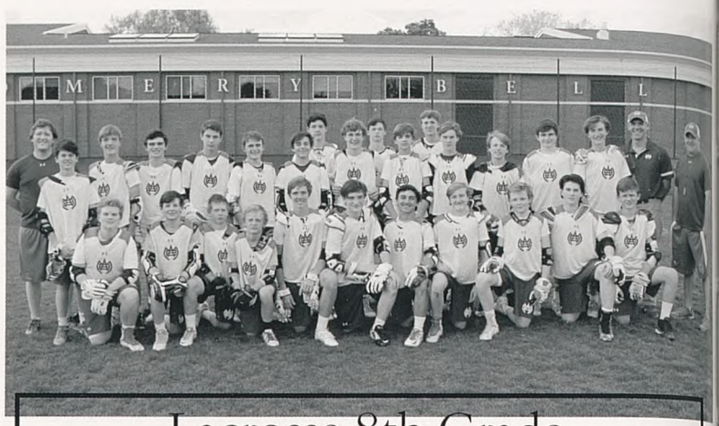
Walker Cain, Matt Hawkins, Joseph Robertson, Eric Saul, John Sewell, Jack Spivey, Turner Stevens, William Sullivan, Woodson Weathersby

Golf - Spring

Walker Cain, Matt Hawkins, Joseph Robertson, Eric Saul, John Sewell, Jack Spivey, Turner Stevens, William Sullivan, Woodson Weathersby

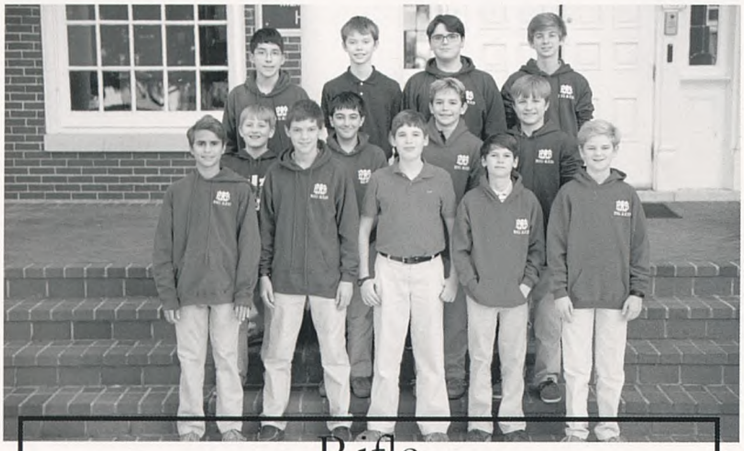
Lacrosse 7th Grade

Thomas Tatro, Brody Snell, Eli Kampine, Jackson Pickett, James Kinard, Kendrick Abernathy, Lucas Cashwell, Bo Wilbanks, Carson Potter, Clay Crews, Drew Wilson, John Crawford, Mason Skeeters, Warner Greene, Jack Gauldin, Jed Neal (manager), Michael Spellman, Turner Kirkland, William Clark, Patrick Wilk, Ramsay Cole, Sam Bartholomew, Charlie Maso, Clay Crawford, Sebastian Garcia, William Rogers, Matthew Fox, Foster Edwards, Zach Ricciardelli



Lacrosse 8th Grade

Row 1: Coach McWhirter, Forrest Sutphin, William Tyrone, William Roberts; Row 2: Max Speers, Cade Thorton, Benjamin Sensing, Stanford Thombs, Marc Stanley, Steven Avery, Clay Overholt, Brown Payne, Clayton Malone, Grayson Hill, Will McEvoy, Finn Houghton, Coach Pollock, Coach Cooper Row 3: Ramsey Cole, Jack Clarke, Stokes Myers, Luke Myrncza, Noah Mendoza, Jack Larish, Spencer Grohovsky, Steven Mason, Trent Lamar, Andrew Ferris, Frank Bass.



Rifle

Nick Bailey, Will Brownie, Landon Cashwell, Tripp Chamblin, Roy Claverie, Jack Collins, Max Giorgio, Lloyd Ivester, Joseph Lucas, Willima Lummus, Michael Morrow, Thomas Peterson, Will Renkis, Jairo Santos, Jason Zhu

Soccer A - HVAC Champs

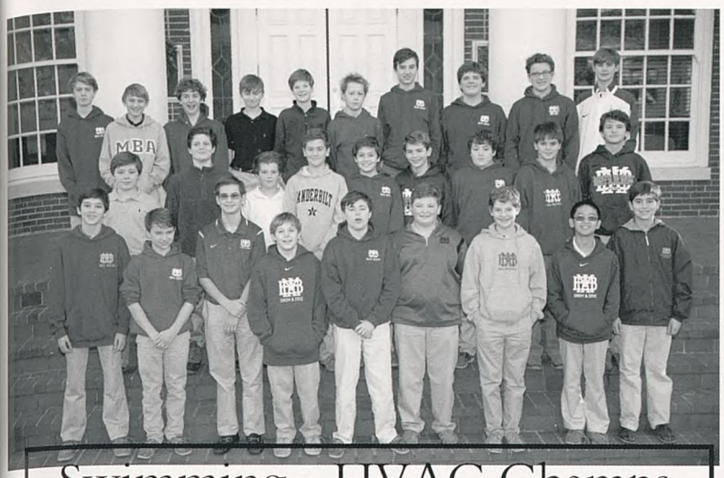
Luke McSween, Kiran Pietersen, Logan Vick, Turner Stevens, Ned Freeland, Will Crawford, Brycen Brown, Owen Albright, Zach Brown, Will Sullivan, Rasheed Sariah, Ian Bernatavitz, Cooper Rzasnicki, Ross Walker, Quinn Kunath, Eli Kampine, Thomas Tatro, Brody Snell, Andrew Bulgarino

Soccer B

Brian Graves, Brown Payne, Clay Crawford,Dustin Lee, Eli Fails, Frank Bass, Grayson Adams, Jack Clarke, Jack Larish, Jack Collins, Jacob Hanai, John Hyde, John Moore, Matthew Milam, Michael Spellman, Sebastian Garcia, Sjeffie Quaedvlieg, Spencer Grohovsky, Steven Mason, Tripper Capps, Warner Greene, William Clark, William Lummus, William Tyrone

Soccer C

Luke Morad, Parker Bowling, Lucas Cashwell,Roy Claverie, Finn Houghton, Bode Segers, Sam Meacham, Carson Potter, Grayson Hill, Matthew Kaplan, Joe Bellardo, Joseph Lucas, Zak Herbstreit,Charlie Hansen, Jack Spivey, Tully Fitzpatrick, Norris Orndorff, Patrick Pergande, Bo Wilbanks, Buchanan Lindsey, Will King



Swimming - HVAC Champs

Wyatt Bettis, Tripp Chamblin, Jack Gauldin, Peyton Green, Ty Harden, Dudley Harmer, Will Huizinga, Lloyd Ivester, James Kinard, David Koziak, Ben Locke, Lee Loving, Will McEvoy, Thomas Miller, Brennan Minkoff, Peter Minkoff, James Murff, Elliott Nahmias, Norris Orndorff, Burke Owens, Jackson Pickett, Grant Pinson, Patrick Powell, John Powers, Noah Posdeutscher, Bode Segers, Brody Snell, Connor Steanson, Colin Tang

Tennis - HVAC Champs

Eman Barrett, Richard Cummins, James Dennis, Witt Grana, Brian Graves, Sims Lance, Kinton Lewis, Patrick Pergande, Jack Smartt, John Wallace, Scott Wallace

Track

Grayson Adams, Owen Albright, Maxwell Battle, Branden Beach, Joseph Bellardo, Ian Bernatavitz, Wyatt Bettis, Davis Blankenship, Will Brown, Zach Brown,Lucien Brunetti, Cole Carr, Will Coulthard, Ike Cravens, Breckenridge Curnutte, Tate Dillon, Will Farner, Ben Galanter, Campbell Garber, Adam Garfinkel, Ty Harden Michael Hoffman, Harrison Holman, Will Huizinga, Luke Jackson, Matthew Kaplan, Quinn Kunath, Ethan Lilly, Buchanan Wilson, Sam Meacham, Matthew Milam, Will Montana, John Moore, Luke Morad, Norris Orndoff, Frank Perazzini, Kiran Peterson, John Powers, Sjef Quaedvlieg, Noah Rosdeutscher, Coleman Rutherford, Rasheed Sharieh, Bode Segers, Connor Steanson, Jake Steigelfest, Colin Tang, Kyle Tavi, Ashton Terrell, Quinn Trabue, Jordan Turks, Nick Viars, Logan Vick, Ross Walker, Max Watts, Evan Williams

Wrestling

Kendrick Abernathy, Robby Barnes, Sam Bartholomew, Cole Carr, Ike Cravens, John Crawford, Max Dillon, Foster Dewards, Matthew Fox, Campbell Garber, Adam Garfinkel, Dan Gaw, Colyer Haddock, Michael Hoffman, Ryan Johnston, Turner Kirkland, Ethan Lilly, Mauro Mastrapasqua, Thomas McRae, Joshua Moore, Luke Mryncza, Stokes Myers, Frank Perazzini, Jackson Pickett, ach Ricciardelli, David Roach, William Rogers, Eric Russ, Coleman Rutherford, Max Scheele, John Sewell, Mason Skeeters, Marc Stanley, Cade Thornton, Jordan Turks, Matthew Ulm, Nick Viars, Patrick Wilk, Drew Wilson

Honors Ceremony

Celebrating Accomplishments

At the end of every school year, junior school students gather prior to the graduation ceremony to participate in Honors Ceremony. This year the recognitions started on under an overcast sky which yielded to a stunning sunset as awards were given to the assembled crowd of students by the faculty and staff. Throughout the course of the evening, students were recognized for their academic and leadership achievements. Each teacher in the Junior School selects students, usually based on their earned GPA in the class for an award. Students also receive recognition for their poetry and short story writing, debate performance, and athletic achievements. This year's Art Purchase Award went to William Sullivan for his mixed media self portrait. This part of the evening prepared students and attendees alike for the conferral of diplomas to the graduating eighth graders.

Medal Winners

English 7	Sam Meacham
Grammar & Vocabulary 7	Andrew Bulgarino
English 8	Aden Barton
US History	Sam Meacham
Cultural Geography	Aden Barton
Latin I	Zach Brown
Pre-Algebra	John Powers
Pre-Algebra Honors	Scott Wallace
Algebra I Honors for 7	Colin Tang
Algebra I	Wesley Hirschman
Algebra I Honors for 8	Aden Barton
Geometry Honors	Thomas Zeuthen
Introductory Physical Science	Tripp Chamblin
Introductory Physical Science Honors	Andrew Bulgarino
Earth Science	Wesley Hirschman
Earth Science Honors	Walker Byrd

7th GRADE

FRANCIS E. CARTER, JR. AWARD (7th Gr.Outstanding Boy) Matthew Fox
7th Gr. CITIZENSHIP AWARD Mauro Mastrapasqua
7th Gr. LEADERSHIP & INTEGRITY AWARD Joseph Bellard
WILLIAM RIDLEY WILLS, II AWARD Colin Smith
JAMES REGEN JEWETT AWARD FOR ACADEMIC PROGRESS (7TH Gr.) Zak Herbstreit
7th Gr. SPIRIT AWARD Clay Crawford
7th Gr. SERVICE AWARD William Rogers Jed Neal

8th GRADE

WALTER NOEL, JR. AWARD (8th Gr.Outstanding Boy) Eric Russ
JACK MASSEY AWARD FOR CITIZENSHIP (8th Gr.) Will Crawford
8TH Gr. LEADERSHIP & INTEGRITY AWARD Matthew Kaplan
GENTLEMAN, SCHOLAR ATHLETE AWARD (8th Gr.) Tripper Capps
JAMES REGEN JEWETT AWARD FOR ACADEMIC PROGRESS (8th Gr.) Jack Clarke
8th Gr. SPIRIT AWARD Harrison Hitt
8th Gr. SERVICE AWARD Joseph Lucas Robby Barnes

English Awards

Excellence in Grammar/Vocabulary 7 Rex Allsep, Andrew Bulgarino, Tripp Chamblin, Sam Meacham, John Powers, Colin Smith, Colin Tang, Thomas Tatro, Scott Wallace, Jason Zhu

Excellence in English 7 Andrew Bulgarino, Tripp Chamblin, Will Coulthard, Witt Grana, Charlie Hansen, Dustin Lee, Ethan Lilly, Stokes Myers, Will Renkis, Colin Smith, Scott Wallace

Excellence in English 8 Nick Bailey, Zach Brown, Will Crawford , Matthew Kaplan, Alex Kalams, Samuel Kirkpatrick, Eric Russ, Jack Smartt, John Wallace, Thomas Zeuthen

History

US History Joseph Bellardo, Andrew Bulgarino, Tripp Chamlin, William Clark, Sam Meacham, James Murff, Patrick Pergande, John Powers, Colin Smith

Cultural Geography Zach Brown, Walker Byrd, Wesley Hirschman, Ike Cravens, Eric Russ, Camden Slinger, Samuel Kirkpatrick, Benjamin Sensing, Jack Smartt, Thomas Zeuthen

Latin

Latin I (8) Aden Barton , Tripper Capps , Will Crawford, Matt Hawkins, John Hyde, Samuel Kirkpatrick, Luke McSween, Eric Russ, Baylor Sai, Thomas Zeuthen

Perfect Latin Papers Alex Kalams

Science

Earth Science Ike Cravens, Clay Overholt, Tripper Capps, Sims Lance, Nick Viars, William Tyrone

Earth Science Honors Alex Kalams, Matt Hawkins, Thomas ZeuthenIntroductory Physical Science Dustin Lee, Tripp Chamblin, Joseph Robertson, Rex Allsep, John Powers, Eman Barrett

Introductory Physical Science Honors Andrew Bulgarino, Mauro Mastapasqua, Michael Spellman, Colin Tang, Sam Meacham

1. Tripper Capps accepts his award from Mrs. Stewart. 2. Ashton Terrell accepts his award for Presidential Fitness from Coach Simpson. 3. Thomas Zeuthen receives his certificate from Mr. Kimball for English. 4. Mrs. Roberts hands Norris Orndorff his award. 5. Mr. Gioia presents Andrew Bulgarino with his award.

Mathematics
Algebra I Noah Mendoza, Cade Thornton

Pre- Algebra Eman Barrett, Sam Bartholomew, Stokes Myers, John Powers, Connor Steanson

Pre-Algebra Honors Scott Wallace

Geometry Honors (8) Alex Kalams, Zach Brown

Algebra I Honors 7 Sam Meacham, Patrick Pergande, Jason ZhuAlgebra I Honors 8 Samuel Kirkpatrick, John Wallace

Algebra I William Roberts

Enrichment
Speech Wyatt Bettis, Tripp Chamblin, Sam Meacham, Bo Wilbanks

Art 7 Sam Bartholomew, William Clark, Quinn Kunath, Bennett MacCurdy

Art 8 Walker Byrd, John Jameson, Mickey Kelly, Jairo Santos

Art Purchase Award William Sullivan

Prelude Orchestra McGavock Cooper

Junior School Singers Luke Morad

Jazz 7 Mauro Mastrapasqua

Jazz 8 Wesley Hirschman

Theater 7 Thomas Peterson, Ashton TerrellTheater

8 Will Mader, Robby Barnes, Eric Russ, Jack McKennon

The Presidential Physical Fitness Award Sam Barthlomew, Frank Bass, Maxwell Battle, Parker Bowling, Breckenridge Curnutte, Swope Fleming, Adam Garfinkel, Quinn Kunath, Ben Locke, Will Montana, Bode Segers, Connor Steanson, Ashton Terrell, Zach Thomas

Special Awards
HIGHEST ACADEMIC AVERAGE IN GRADE 7 Andrew Bulgarino
CUM LAUDE AWARD Thomas Zeuthen

LIBBY BOURLAND BOOK AWARD FOR 7TH Ty Harden
LIBBY BOURLAND BOOK AWARD FOR 8TH Mickey Kelly

SAM DAVIS AWARD John Powers
SAM DAVIS AWARD (runner-up) Rasheed Sarieh

RASCOE BOND DAVIS POETRY (HONORABLE MENTION) Thomas McCrae
RASCOE BOND DAVIS POETRY (3RD PLACE) Charlie Mason
RASCOE BOND DAVIS POETRY (2nd PLACE) Colin Smith
RASCOE BOND DAVIS POETRY (1st PLACE) Breckenridge Curnutte

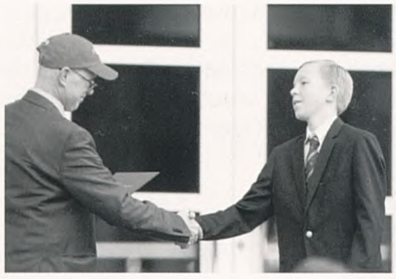
RASCOE BOND DAVIS SHORT STORY (3rd PLACE) Aaron White
RASCOE BOND DAVIS SHORT STORY (2nd PLACE) Tim Blaufuss
RASCOE BOND DAVIS SHORT STORY (1st PLACE) Mauro Mastrapasqua
JESSE HILL FORD SHORT STORY Kyle Tavi

7th GR. DEBATE Don Pierce
8th GR. DEBATE Aden Barton

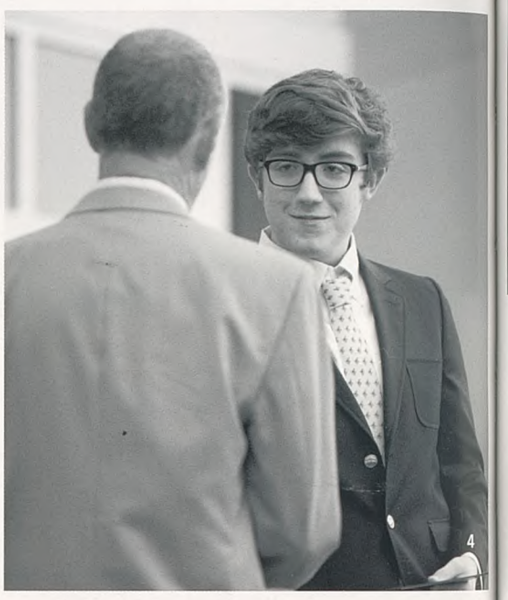
7th GR. OUTSTANDING ATHLETE Mark Pyburn
8th GR. OUTSTANDING ATHLETE Will Crawford

Grayson Adams is thrilled to receive his diploma and firm handshake.

Zach Brown is ready to snatch his diploma after two years of hard work.



Brian Graver looks thrilled to be conferred his diploma from Mr. Gioia.

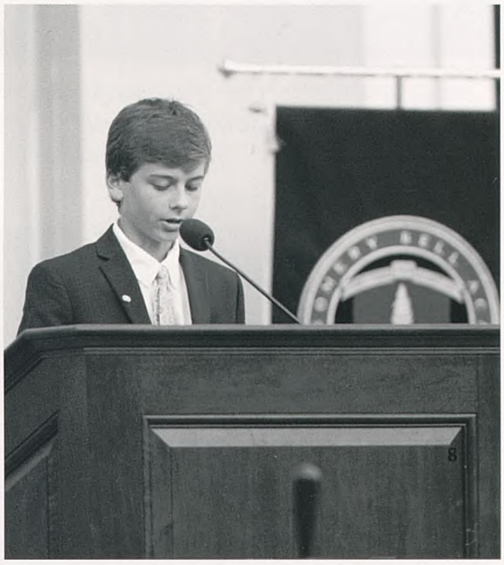


1. Richard Cummins happily accepts his diploma from Mr. Gioia. 2. Camden Slinger gives a knowing nod to the crowd and acknowledge his accomplishment. 3. Jack McKennon is all smiles during the night's events. 4. Peter Hall receives a heartfelt congratulations from Mr. Spiegl. 5. The JS singers, under the direction of Mr. Meridith, impress the crowd with their vocal sayings. 6. McGavock Cooper is subdued in his reaction to receiving his diploma.

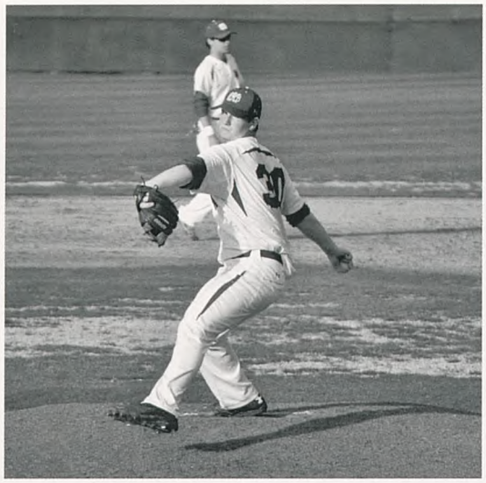
Graduation

The Class of 2020 Completes 8th Grade

Under a clear sky the Class of 2020 gathered for one last time as a part of the Junior School. Throughout the course of the evening students were congratulated and the graduates received their diplomas form Mr. Gioia before shaking hands with Mr. Spiegl. The graduation portion of the evening immediately follows the Awards Convocation for the Junior School and allows the MBA community to celebrate both events together and allows the graduating eighth graders celebrate with their Junior School classmates. Prior to receiving their diplomas, those assembled heard from Mrs. Stewart, Mr. Gioia, and student speaker Richard Cummins. The evening ended with the graduates processing out the area to the applause of those gathered.



Feature. Dudley Harmer and Jacob Hanai walk with their classmates into the ceremony. 7. Richard Cummins speaking to the crowd. 8. Quinn Kunath and Tripp Chamblin standing for special recognition.



Cole Cross

Now this is not the end. It is not even the beginning of the end. But it is, perhaps, the end of the beginning.

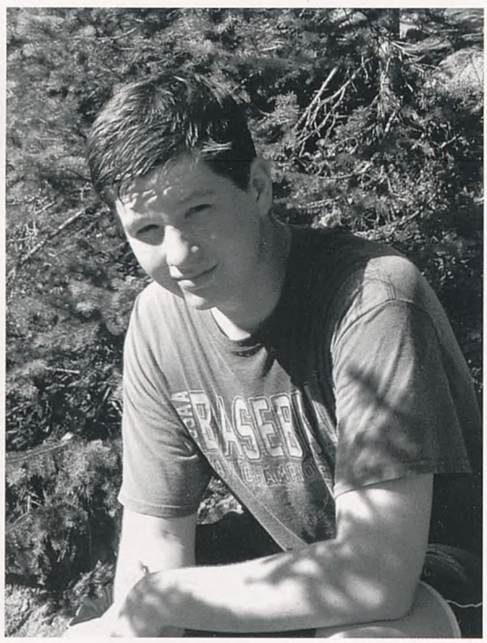
–Winston Churchill (as channeled by Dr. Tim Boyd)

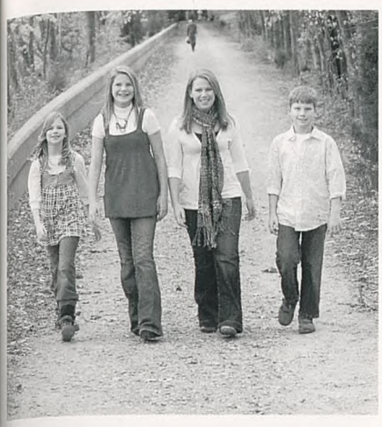
Cole,

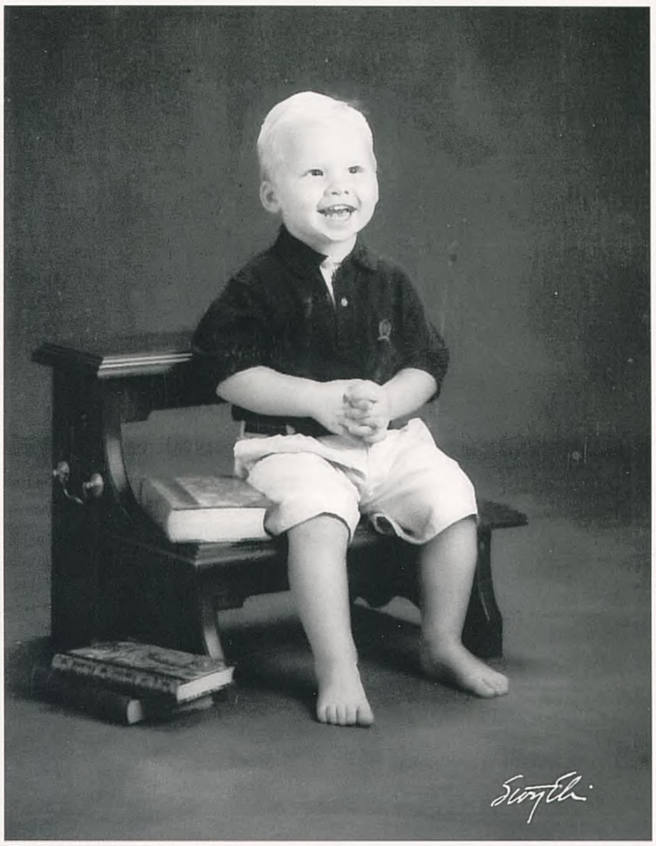
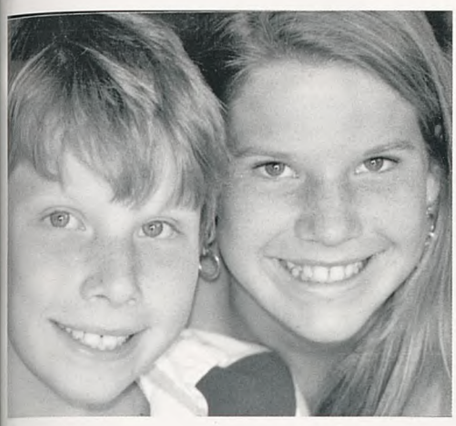
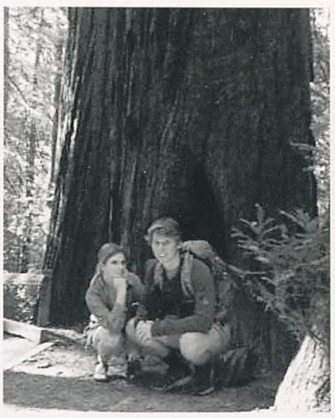
We look forward to watching the next chapters unfold. Enjoy the journey. And if you ever make it to Ouagadougou, make sure you drop Papa Fred a card.

Hugs,

Mom & Dad





Carter Heckle

Carter,

We feel blessed, thankful, grateful and humbled that you are our son and brother. Your loyalty is admirable, your humility is contagious and you live your life every day-positively -for even if just a slight hint of opportunity exists in the face of adversity - you will find it. You've grown into a very capable young man with tremendous abilities. We couldn't be more proud of you and your accomplishments but more important, of who you are. We are excited about the many future opportunities that await you. May God be with you as you seek to fulfill your given gifts, embrace your potential and bless you in the many years ahead.

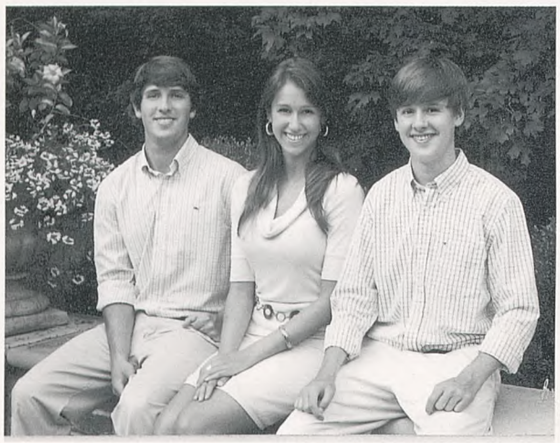
We love you more than you could ever know, Mom & Dad, Katie, Jaclyn and Rachel

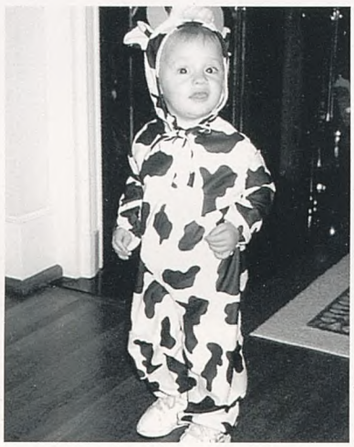
Cole Campbell

We are so proud to be your parents!

With much love,

Mom and Dad





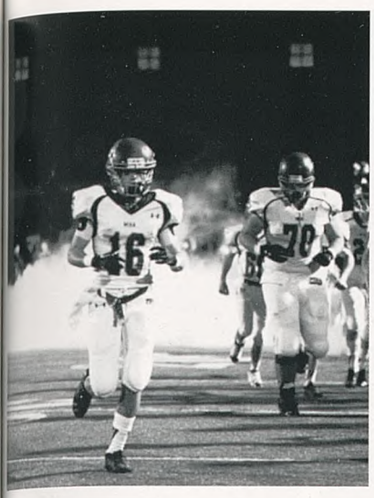
Ethan Mowery

"You miss 100% of the shots you don't take." Wayne Gretsky

Ethan (#20)

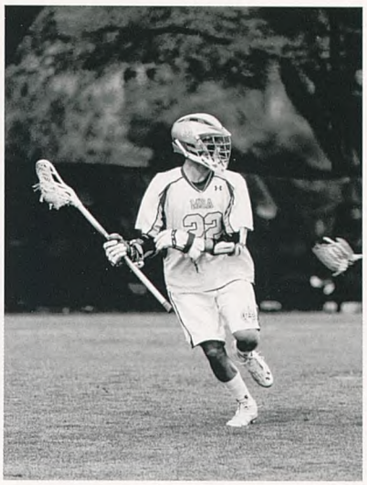
We are so proud that you fearlessly take shots in your life. We love you very much.

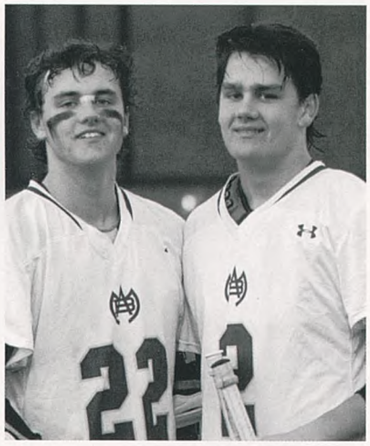
Mom and Dad



Benjamin Graves

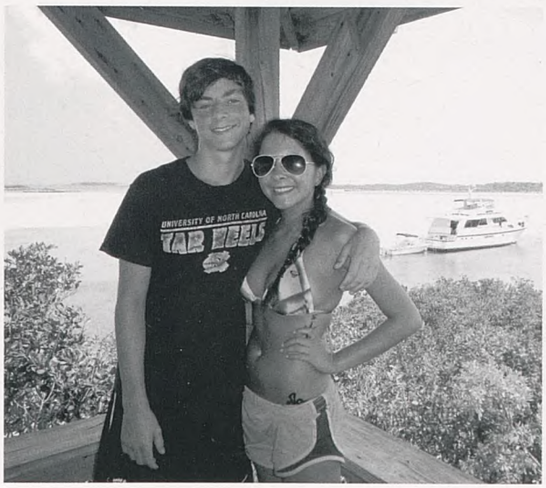
Embrace each opportunity like it will never come again. Your force is powerful and your character is firm. You make the ordinary, extraordinary. Stay true to the knowledge of your foundation. Don't do anything your family wouldn't do, unless we were with you. Never forget the blue rule!
We love you more!
Mom, Dad, Harrison & Rudus

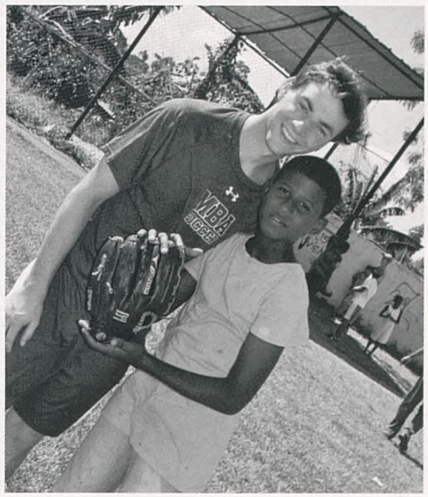




Zac Jernigan

Even though you have been all over the world, the journey has just begun.
We love you!
Dad, Mom, and Anna Kate



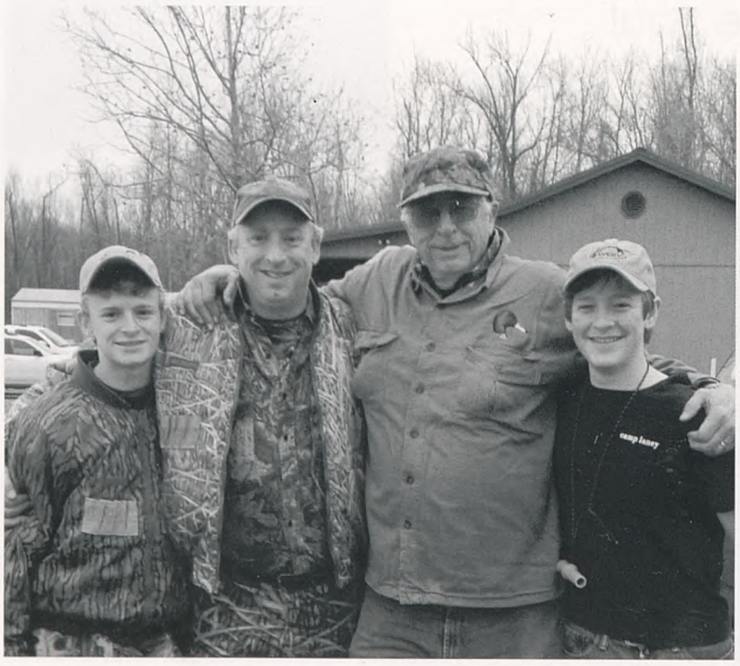


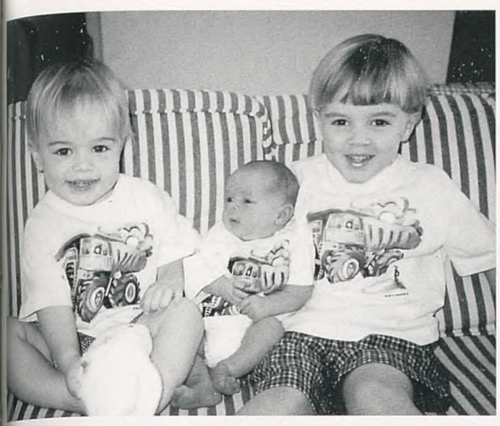
Ethan Long

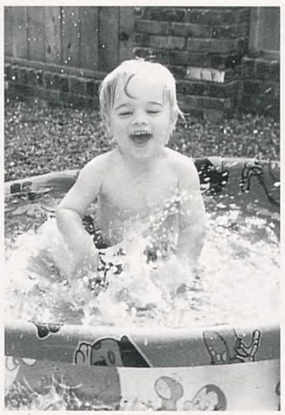
Congratulations, Ethan! We are so proud of the man you've become. You are truly a blessing and we love you!
Mom, Dad, Jackson and Isabel

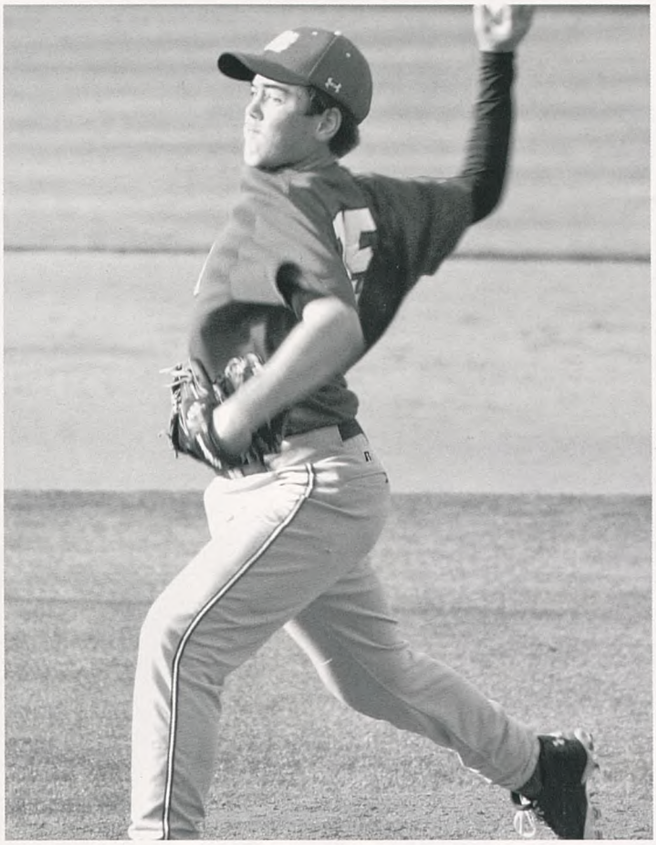
"For we are his workmanship, created in Christ unto good works, which God hath before ordained that we should walk in them." Ephesians 2:10

"What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us." Emerson









Sam Rhodes

"Trust in the Lord with all thine heart...In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy path." Proverbs 3:5-6

We love you very much, Sam! We are all very proud of you. Your future is bright and full of love and prayers.

Love, your biggest fans, Mom, Dad, Jack, and Henry

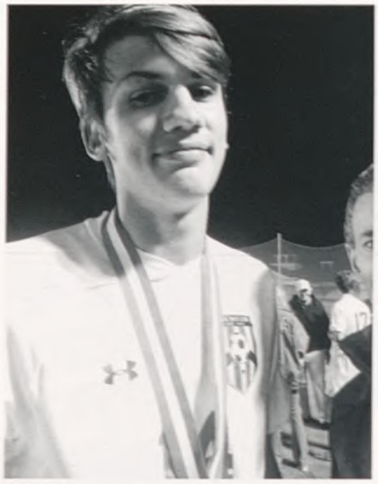
Russell McGinn

Congratulations, Russell!
We are so proud of you and all your accomplishments. What a blessing you are to our family. We can't wait to see what God has in store for you.
Love,
Mom, Dad, and Duncan

Darrius W. Southwell

We have cherished every moment with you. With mixed emotions we are helping you to prepare for your next step. You have been a blessing to our lives. We know the future is bright for you and are excited to see what God has in store. We have and always will be your biggest fans.

Mom, Dad, and Kelile



Will Emerson

Will, you have always wanted to be heard. These days, you are screaming towards your dreams. Your hard work and dedication are awesome. We are proud to watch you begin the next leg of your journey! Don't ever stop dreaming.

"The best way to predict the future is to create it."
- Abraham Lincoln

Jay Shackleford

From building blocks and Richard Scarry, to snowboarding and Harry Potter, to Ultimate Frisbee and driving tests, to prom dates and AP exams....we are so proud to see the kind, creative, and intelligent man you have become.
We love you!
Mom, Dad, and Annie

Sam Galanter

Always bear in mind that your own resolution to succeed, is more important than any other one thing.
A. Lincoln

Congratulations, Sam!
We love you and are so proud of you.
Mom, Dad and Ben

Davis Voecks

Congratulations Davis! We know you will go far and we look forward to seeing what your bright future has in store for you.

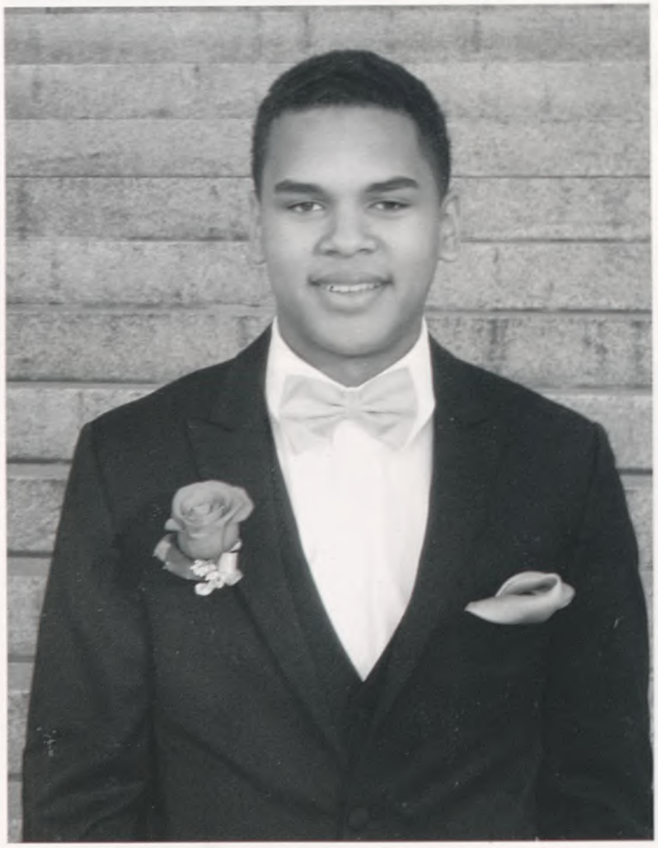
We love you.

Mom and Dad

Stephen Richey, Jr.

I will always need my son, no matter what age I am. My son has made me laugh, made me proud, made me cry, seen me cry, hugged me tight, seen me fail, cheered me up, kept me on my toes, and at times driven me crazy...But my son is a promise that I will have a friend forever!

Mom



Wesley Richardson

Wes,

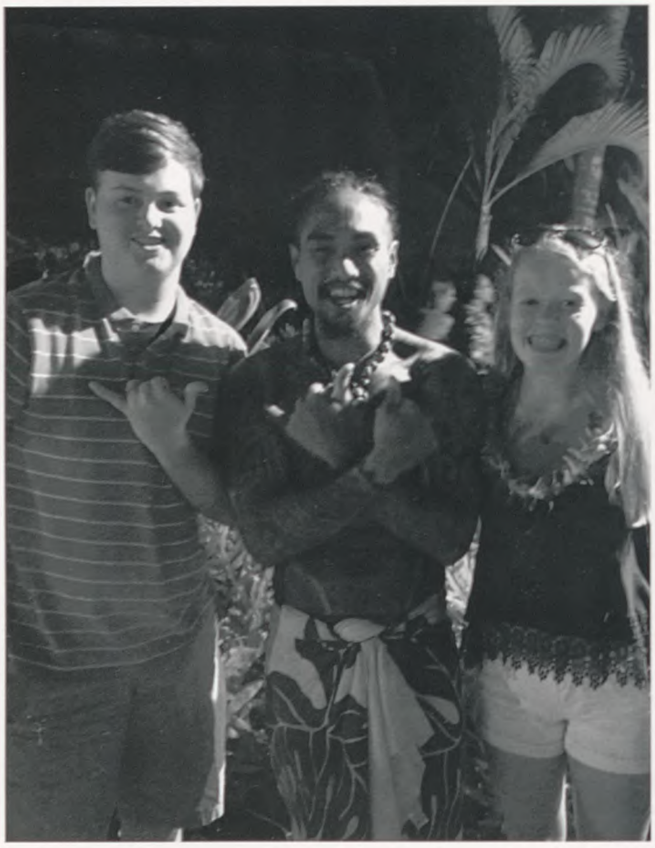
We are so proud of your six amazing years at MBA and excited for the new chapter of your life that is about to begin at USC. You have brought all of us immense joy, and we love you more than words can express. Walk boldly into this new chapter with kindness, courage, enthusiasm and an awareness of and appreciation for God's abundant love for you.

Love,

Mom, Dad, Graham & Virginia

Hudson Coombs

Congratulations Hudson!
We are so very proud of you and of what you have accomplished!
Much love always,
Mom, Dad, Lauren, and Marguerite



Gray Adelman

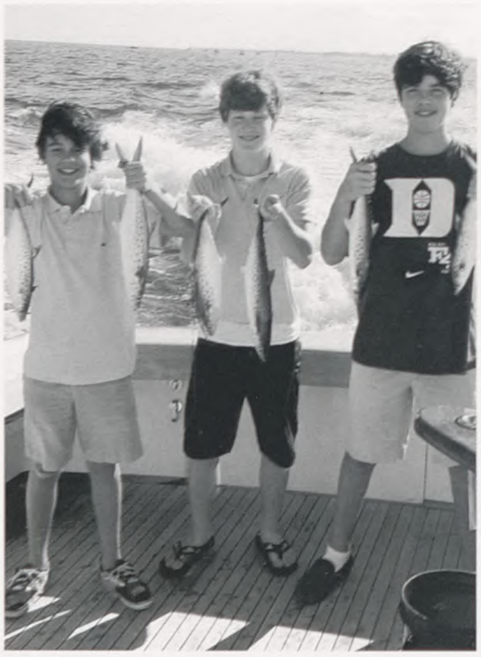
"May you use those gifts that you have received, and pass on the love that has been given to you." - St. Teresa of Avila

CONGRATULATIONS, GRAY! YOU ARE A BLESSING!

Mom, Dad, Frank, Helen, Rod, McColl, Will, Noble, and Tom

David Wise

Congratulations, David!
We are so proud of you, and we love you;
pure, simple, and true.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Emma, and Daisy



Harrison Wachtler

"Only as high as I reach can I grow, only as far as I seek can I go, only as deep as I look can I see, only as much as I dream can I be."

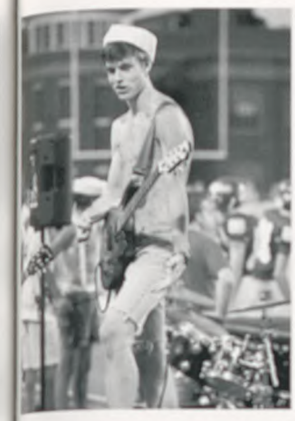
-Karen Ravn

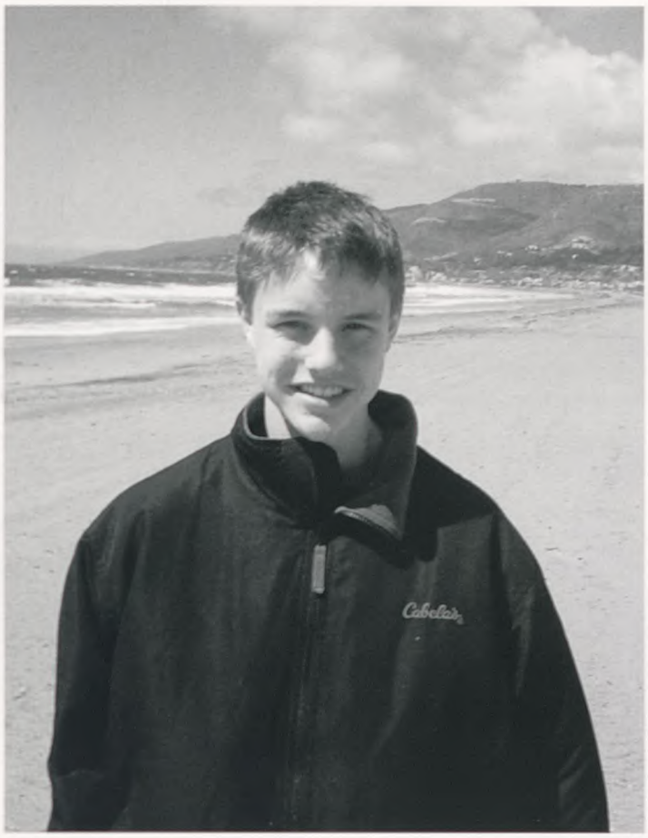
We love you more! Congratulations!! Dad, Mom and Haden

Crom Tidwell

18 years of energy, activity, ingenuity and earnest effort! We celebrate them all! May all the joy and wonder you brought to us come right back to you! We will be cheering for you in all that you do!

Love always,
Mom and Dad, Cate and Warner





J.B. Lund

You have brought us so much joy and we wish you all the best!

Love,

Dad, Mom and Lizzie

Benton Dodd

Benton,

You have brought so much life, joy, and laughter to our home. You are the best big brother and son, and we all love you to pieces! We respect you so much for always keeping it real, and could not be more proud of you.

XOXO,

Mama, Datchi, Reilly, Chandler and Lid

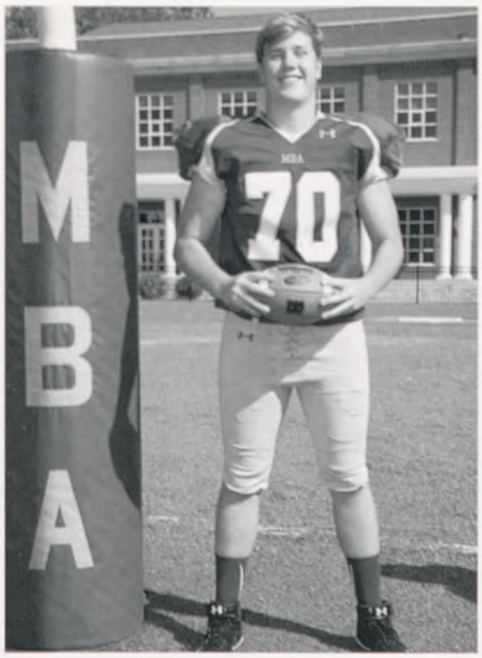
Jesse Turner

We are so proud of you Jesse! We are amazed at your strength, perseverance, and character. You bring so much joy and laughter to everyone who knows you. We look forward to seeing all that God is going to do in the next chapter of your life!

Philippians 4:13-"I can do everything through Him who gives me strength."

We love you,

Mom, Dad, and Grace



Tony Ding

We could not be more proud of the man you have become, and you are just getting started.

Love,

Mom, Dad and Frances

George Lazenby

George-

We are proud of the gentlemen you've become. We love you,
Dad, Mom and Helen Riley

"Live by the creed that a strong work ethic, playing by the rules, and doing things the right way will bring about opportunities for success and, ultimately, happiness."
Nick Saban

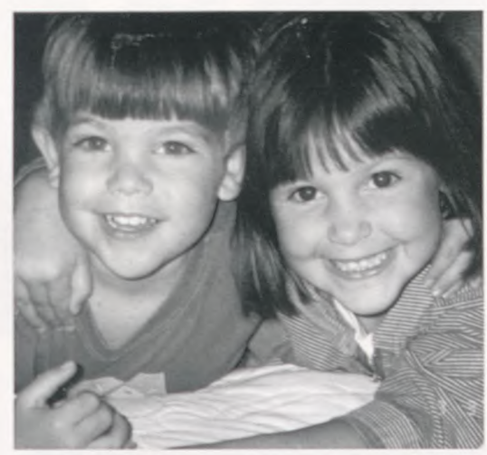
David Gaw

Thank you MBA for helping the GAW boys become better MEN!

Doug Gaw (2019), David Gaw (2016), Jeff Gaw (1984), Dan Gaw (2021), and Whit Emerson (2013)

Alex Stevens

Congrats, bud! We love you and are incredibly proud of you!
Mom, Dad & Annie



The reward of a thing well done is to have done it. - Ralph Waldo Emerson

We are very proud of you.

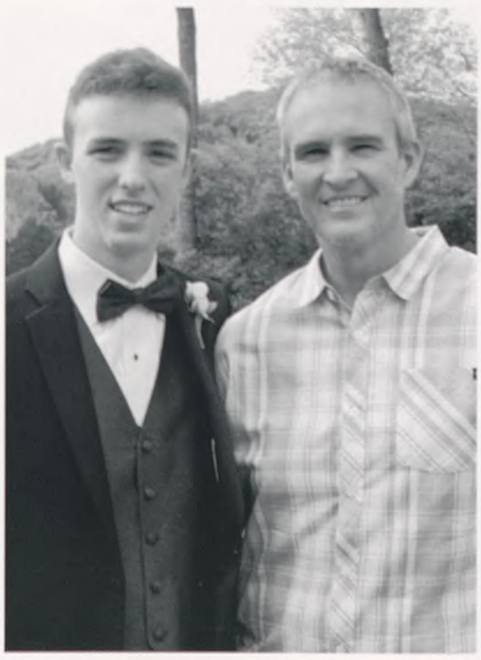
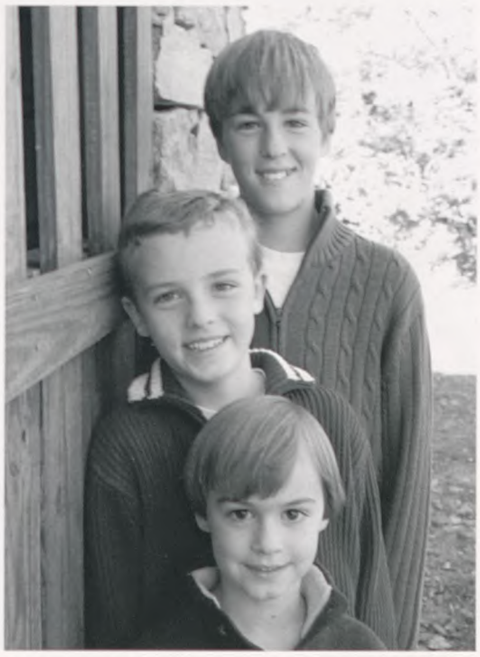
BRANDON BENNETT

Wilson Norris

Congratulations, Wilson! We are so proud of you and your determination to always go after what you want and to hold on to what you believe in. We know that you will do great things, and we are behind you every step of the way. We love you always!

Mon, Dad, TJ and Jack

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4:13

Chapman Malone

We have enjoyed watchig you pursue, achieve and succeed, and we could not be more proud of you. You are a blessing in our lives. We look forward to what lies ahead for you.

Much love - Mom and Dad

High school was fun but college is a real opportunity for adventure. Use it to it fullest. And if you need a partner in crime, I'm always a phone call away. - Molly

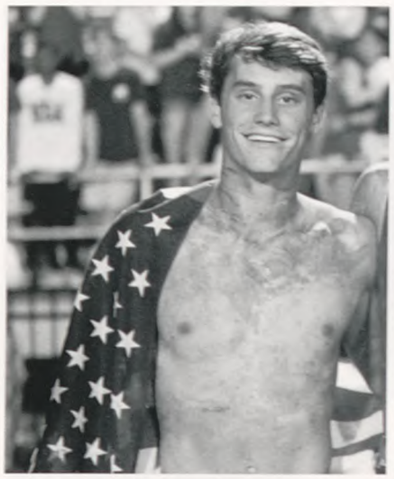
Clarke Allen

Clarke,

Thank you for sharing so many of your blessed gifts with your family and friends. You are light in this world and we pray that you continue to shine brightly wherever your journey make take you. We will miss you being a part of our daily life but know that we have to share you and your gifts with the world! We are so very proud of the young man that you are and look forward to seeing all that God has in store for you. "Be strong and of good courage, do not be afraid, nor dismayed, for the Lord your God is with you wherever you go."

We love you,

Dad, Mom, Gaines, Ty & Elizabeth



Will Beasley

"When you're smiling, when you're smiling
The whole world smiles with you"
-as sung by Louis Armstrong

Will,
We know that your future is as bright as your smile! We love you!
Mom, Dad and Chandler

Diggs Truitt

Diggs,
We are proud of you
and love you...
"To Infinity and Beyond"
Mom, Dad, and Ellie

Sam Anderson

Congratulations, Sam! We are proud of you.
Love, Mom, Dad and Elizabeth

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him and He will make your paths straight." Proverbs 3:5-6

Alec Whitson

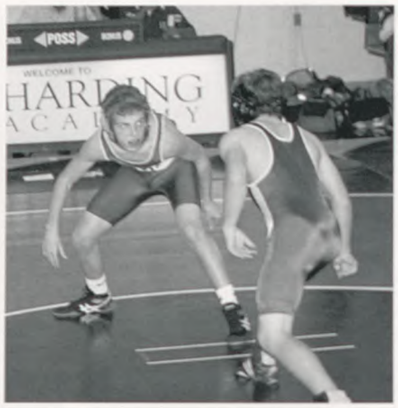
Congratulations, Alec!
We are so proud of you!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Emily, and Jack

Brodie Poe

Brodie
You have blessed our lives beyond words. You came into this world full of His love and light and have continued to shine each day.
As you continue on your amazing journey, may your big heart never lose the ability to love and may you always keep God first.
We love you big, wide and deep,
Mom, MC, Brannon, and Nans
"In everything you do, put God first, and He will direct you and crown your efforts with success"
Proverbs 3:6

Robert Dedman

Life with you has been an awesome adventure . You have kept us laughing. Here are some of our favorite quotes . "I'm not doing oui"
"That's because Clifford is dead". "Dat right Eddie George" " if you can only take one of us let it be me" " a ho ho ho and a Merry Christmas day"
"No friends- just Gnash"
"you're an L, and you're an L and you're an L"
We are proud of you and know you will accomplish great things. (we know you jumped higher than the Masai warrior)
Love, Mom, Dad and Emma



Taylor Asher

"Leadership is not a position or a title, it is action and example." Unknown

"Only life lived in the service to others is a life worth living". Einstein

"Life most persistent and urgent question is, "What are you doing for others?" MLK

Taylor, you have richly blessed our lives. Your compassionate heart, fearless spirit, natural leadership, and deep integrity inspire. We are so incredibly proud of each and every thing you have done. We love you very much! Mom & Dad

Nolan Spear

"The function of education is to teach one to think intensively and to think critically. Intelligence plus character - that is the goal of true education."
- Martin Luther King Jr.

You exemplify all the attributes of a young man worthy of wearing the MBA ring, and your accomplishments on The Hill represent a great step in your journey. Leave here determined to lead with honor, humility, and humor. Above all, stay true to yourself, and create success as you define it. We love you, and here's to new beginnings.

Dad, Mom, Erica and Joseph

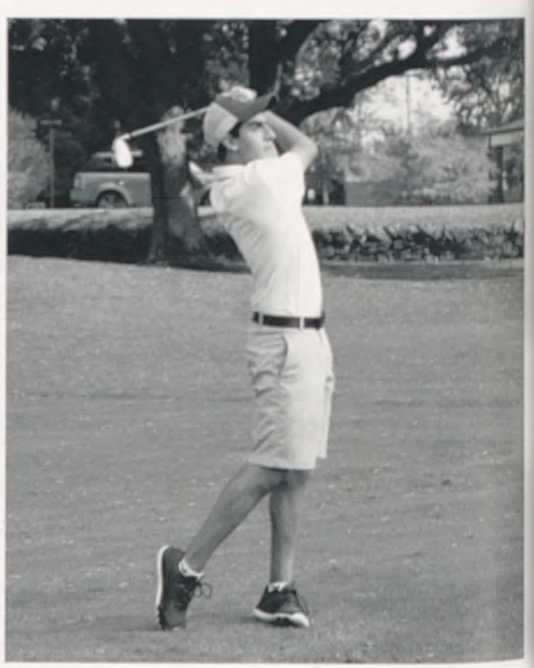
Zachary Vincent Skaff

Congratulations, Zachary!

We are so proud of you and all that you have accomplished.

We love you very much!

Mom and Daniel



Tanner McCormick

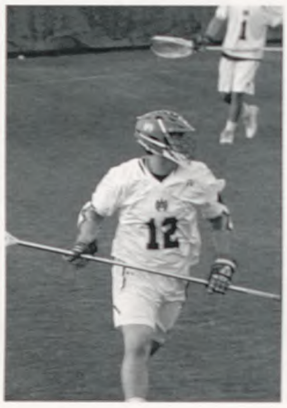
As parents, we always thought that we would shape our son's life in the best way we could. Little did we know that our son would be shaping our lives in ways we never imagined. We love you.

CONGRATULATIONS, TANNER!

We know great things are waiting for you!

Love,

Mom, Dad & Leah



Jim Garrett

Congratulations Jim! We are so proud of you. You have accomplished much, and we look forward to what God has in store for your future! Remember Numbers 6:24-26.

Love, Mom, Dad, Kile, Katie and John

Phelps Gambill

Oh, that beautiful smile! It brightens our lives beyond measure. Shine on....
"what sunshine is to flowers, smiles are to humanity. These are but trifles, to be sure; but scattered along life's pathway, the good they do is inconceivable." Joseph Addison
Love you to the whole,
Mom, Dad, and Keith

Jordan Rosdeutscher

We are so proud of the man you have become. We are excited to see the future you make.

Congratulations!!!

We Love You!!!

Dad, Mom, and Noah

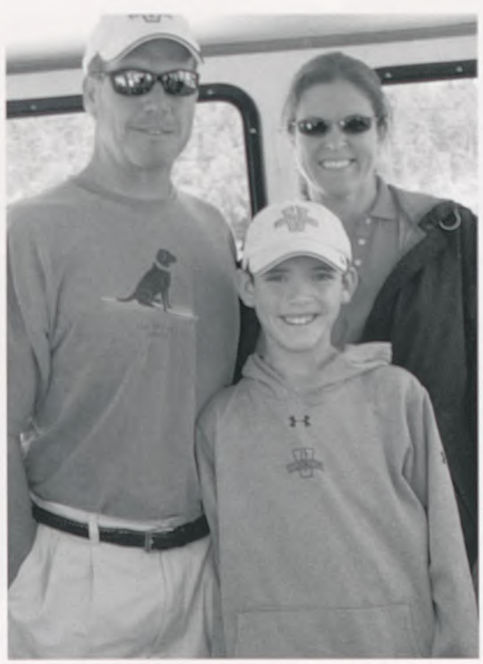
Always remember the verse you learned on the first day of Kindergarten - "I can do everything through Christ who gives me strength" Phillipians 4:13

Grant Green

Congratulations!

We are so proud of everything that you have accomplished so far, and, look forward to all the future holds for you.

Love, Mom and Dad

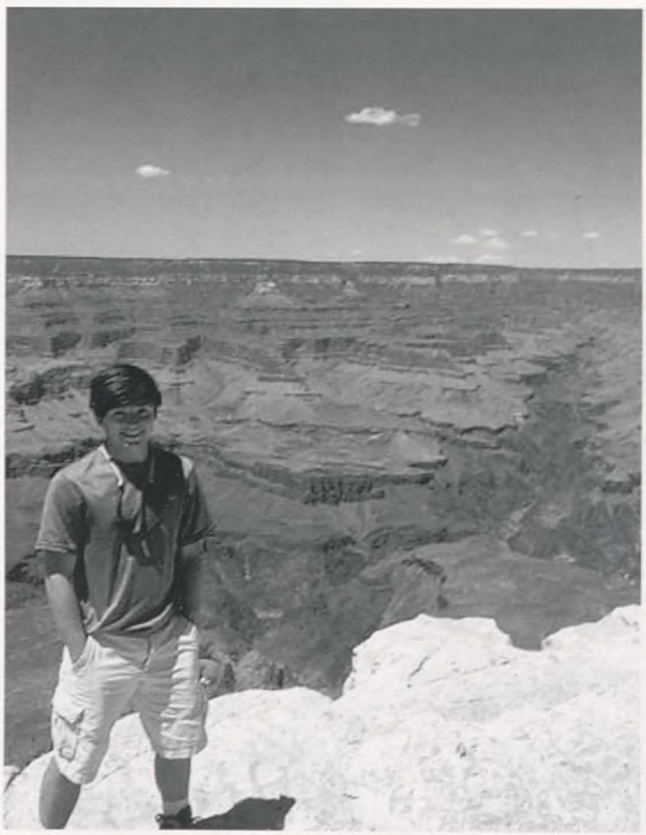


Hayne Hamilton

Hayne,

We are so proud of all you have accomplished and the fine young man you have become. You fill us with joy and we are excited about what the future will hold for you. When in doubt, just say "Not Today, Zurg!"

Love always, Mom and Dad



Ryan Carpenter

"The mountains are calling and I must go." John Muir

Congratulations, Ryan! We love you and are so proud!

Mom, Dad and Elizabeth

Jackson Siktberg

Congratulations, Jackson! Live confidently, being kind and considerate. Remember, no matter what, we always love you. Mom, Dad and Jonathan

"What does the Lord require of you? To act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with your God." Micah 6:8

Carter Lovvorn

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4:13

Line tips from Coach Herb Brooks, 1980 USA Olympic Hockey Team: 1) "Set a goal that seems unattainable, and when you reach that goal, set another one even higher;" 2) "Success is achieved by those who believe in winning and then prepare for that moment."

Carter- You have made the most of your opportunities on The Hill. Keep dreaming, keep believing, keep working, and stay faithful in all that you do. We are oh so proud of you!

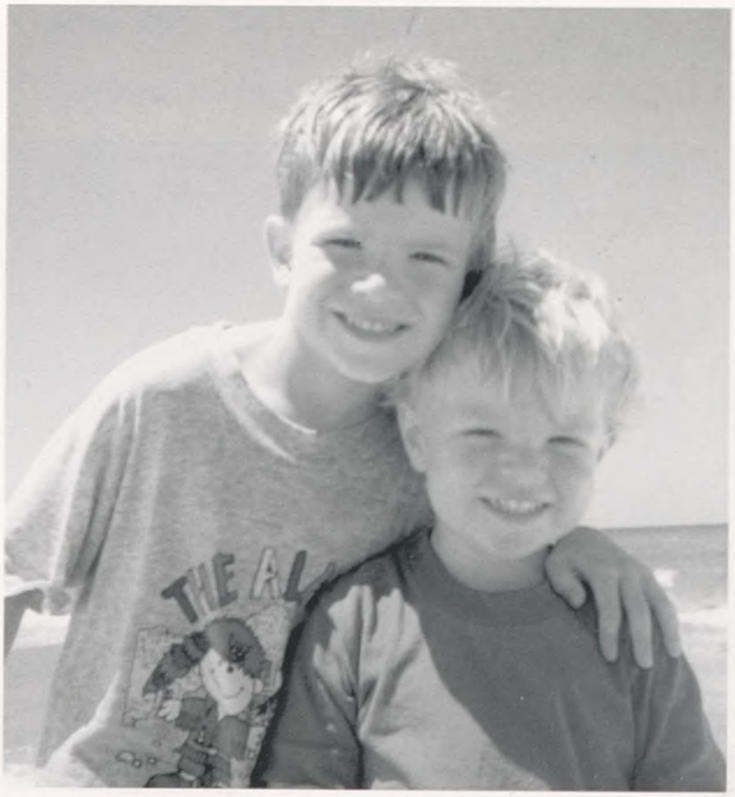
Mom and Dad

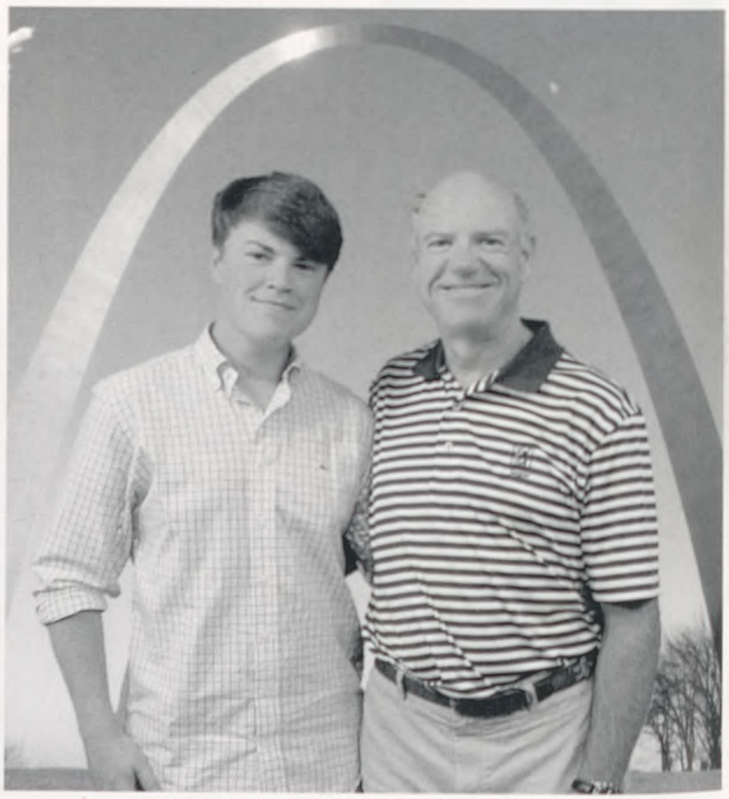
Brinton Hoover

Congratulations! We're very proud of you.

Love,

Mom, Dad and Robert





Carson Talbott

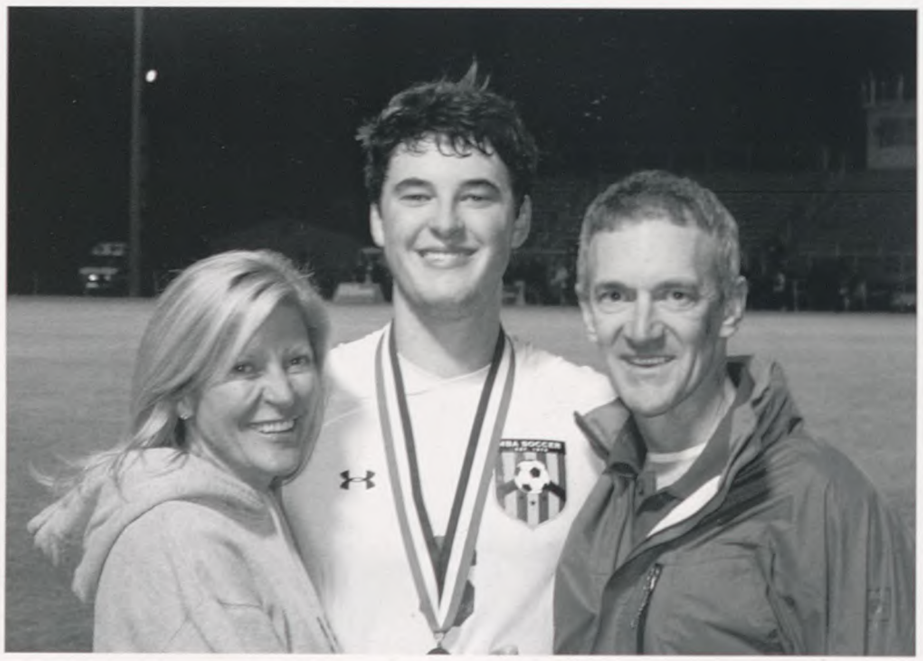
We are so proud of you, Carson Talbott!
That'll do pig, that'll do.
Love,
Mom, Dad, Holland, and Rob
Goodnight, Pig!

Chase Alan Meluch

Chase, we are so proud of the young man you have become. Always remain true to what you know is right and enjoy whatever life brings your way.

We LOVE you!!! Mom, Dad and Chris

"The superior man is modest in his speech but exceeds in his actions." Confucius



Alvin Zhang

Alvin, you are a man of faith, integrity, talent and compassion. We are so proud of all you've accomplished and the man you've become. You bring so much joy and happiness to our lives and we love you beyond measure!

You are a special gift from God. Remember to "Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to Him, and He will make your paths straight."-Proverb 3:5-6 "For everyone who asks, receives; the one who seeks, finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened." -Luck 11:10

You can do ALL things through CHRIST who strengthens you. Go ahead, Alvin, chase your dreams in the light of Him.

- All our love, Mom, Dad and Vincent

Nick Dreher

Congratulations! We are so proud of all that you have accomplished and can't wait to see what lies ahead.

Love,

Dad, Mom, Amanda & Megan

You miss 100% of the shots you don't take - Wayne Gretzky

Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own. - Matthew 6:34

Davis Cavallo

"...It matters not how strait the gate,
How charged with punishments the scroll,
I am the master of my fate,
I am the captain of my soul."

By William Ernest Henley

We can't wait to see where your next turn takes you! We ove you and are so very proud.

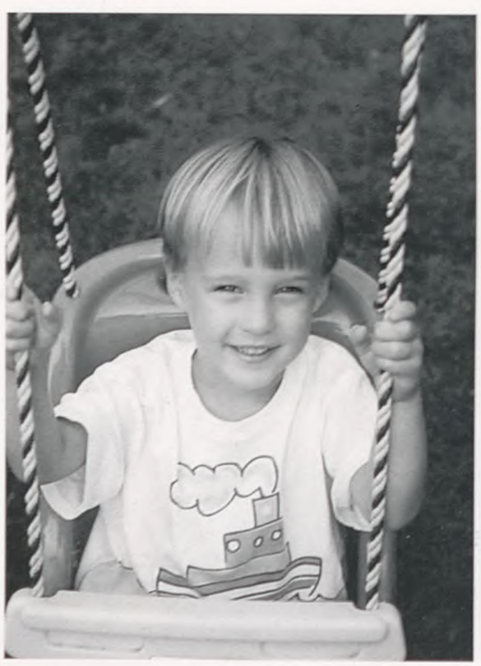
Dad, Mom, Clay & Cooper Mae

Connor Gray

Congratulations, Connor! We are incredibly proud of you and your accomplishments! Continue being true to yourself and choosing your own path in life. Your hard work has and will continue to serve you well. As Thomas Jefferson once said, "I am a great believer in luck, and I find the harder I work the more I have of it."

We love you very much!

Mom, Dad and Will



Bronson Ingram

Dear Bronson,

We are proud of you!

Love, Mom, Dad, and Henry

Kevin Patrick Frazier

Our hearts are full with immeasurable pride and joy! May you continue to seek, to achieve, to grow and to serve. Your compassion for others, perseverance, courage and immense humility make you one-of-a-kind. We love you so much! Mom, Dad, Maureen and Brennan

"I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for ruin, to give you a future with hope...when you search for me you will find me, if you seek me with all your heart." Jeremiah 29:11-13

Hunter Hamilton

"Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one gets the prize? Run in such a way as to get the prize. Everyone who competes in the games goes into strict training. They do it to get a crown that will not last, but we do it to get a crown that will last forever." - I Corinthians 9:24-25

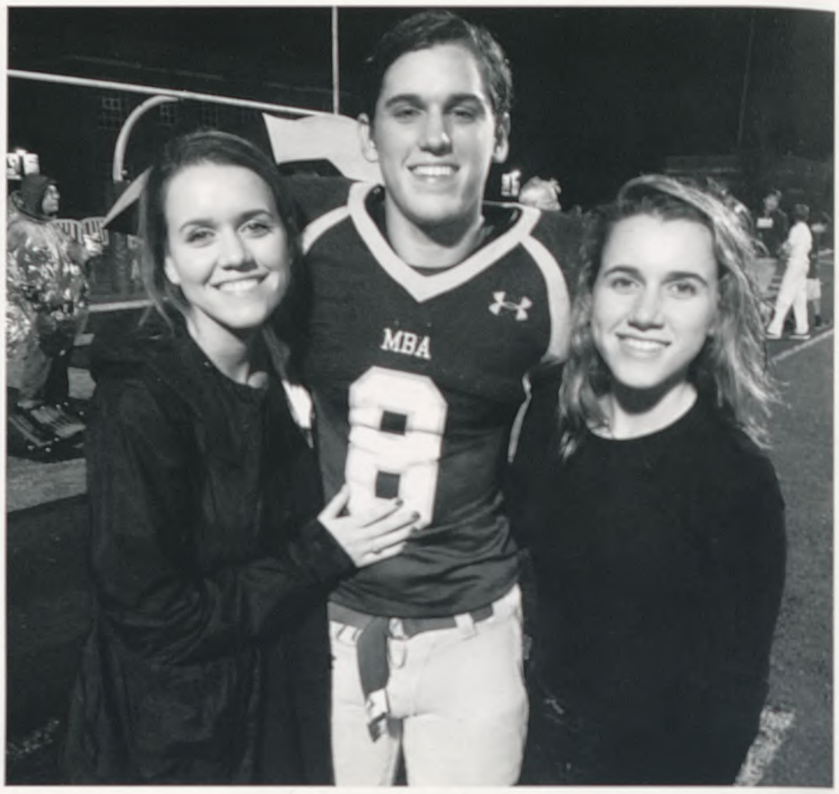
"For this child I have prayed and the Lord has granted me the desires of my heart."

Hunter, you have blessed our lives beyond measure. We are so proud of you!

Always remember how very much you are loved!

Love,

Mom, Dad, and Lady Frances



Charles West

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future." - Jeremiah 29:11

We are so proud of you and cannot wait to see what your future holds!

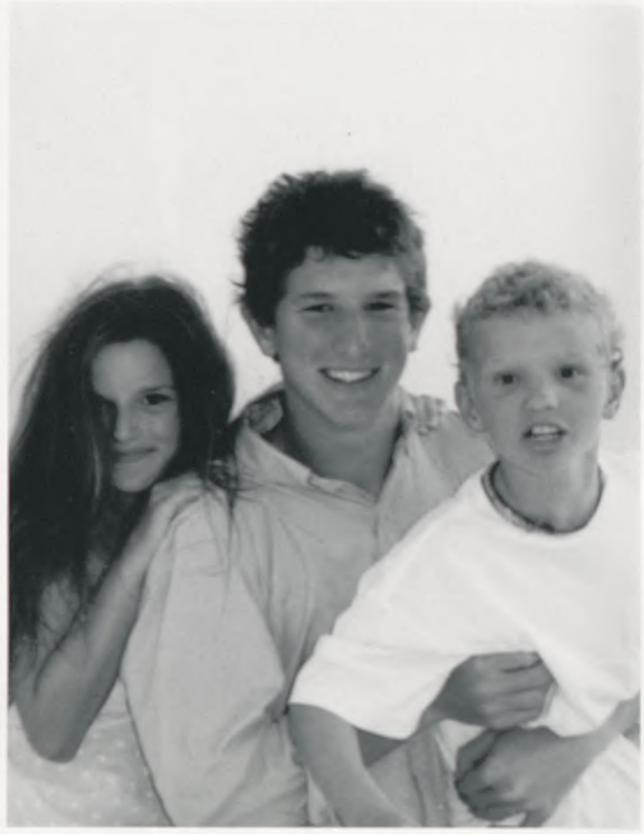
Love,

Mom, Dad, Katherine, and Caroline

Hunt Smith

I have fought the good fight, I have finished the course, I have kept the faith. 2 Timothy 4:7

We are so proud of you Hunt! Love, Mom, Dad, Warren and Emma



Mark Allen Floyd

"We hold these truths to be self-evident that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights, that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness." - Thomas Jefferson

We are so proud of you! We admire your passion for all things in life and encourage you to follow your dreams!

Our Unconditional Love,

Dad, Mami, John Jr, Jacqueline & Dixie Grace

Sam Sullivan

Congratulations, Sam!

We are so proud of you and love you so much,

Mom, Dad, Shaye, Clay & PD

Sam Smith

We are so proud of you and wish you the best for your future.
We love you always,
Mom, Dad, Hoke, and Jack

Troy Jiang

Troy,

Little did we know when we welcomed you into our homes, how much of a gift we would receive. It has been a true blessing to have you in our lives and for that we are very grateful. You are a remarkable young man with so much to offer this world. We have been blessed because of you.

Love,

The Allen Family, the Garrett Family and the Scholer Family

T. Whitton

Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail." – Ralph Waldo Emerson

We are so proud of you and love you to the moon and back!

Love,

Mom, Dad and Margaret Ann

William Eskew

You warm our hearts and fill our home with laughter, wit, kindness, and immense joy.

"May your choices reflect your hopes, not your fears." Nelson Mandela

"If you are not willing to risk the unusual, you will have to settle for the ordinary." Jim Rohn

Thank you, Will, for being anything but ordinary.

All our love ~ Mom, Dad, & Julia Jane

Proverbs 3:5-6

Werner Bradshaw

Sweet, sweet Werner, you are our Sunshine and we love you so much!
Mom, Dad, Jamie, Ranga, and Roughy
"There were far worse strategies in life than to try to make each aspect of one's existence a minor work of art."
"Honor is the presence of God in man."
Pat Conroy, The Lords of Discipline

Matt Remke

"The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face shine upon you; the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace." - Numbers 6:24-26

You are a keeper, Matt!

Love, Mom, Dre and Meredith

Adam Young

Fun times, "Mayhem," Happy Go Lucky, Diligent, Thinker, Brother, Son

We Love You, Aaaa!

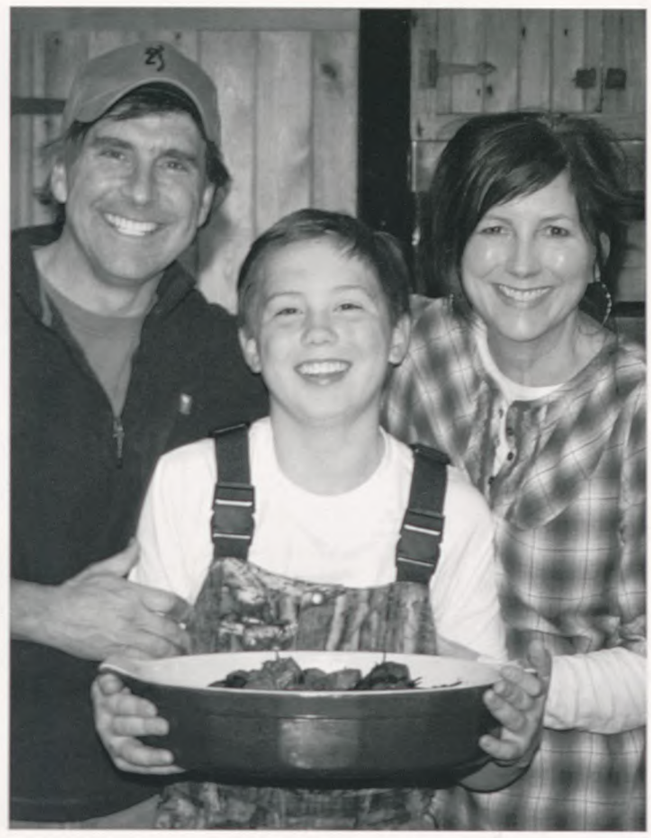
Congratulations!

Mandy, Stephen, Haynes and Mary Neely

Will Johnson

The Lord your God is in your midst, a mighty One who will save; He will rejoice over you with gladness; He will quiet you by his love. Zephaniah 3:17

We love you to the moon and back. Mom, Dad, Lindy, Emily and Ranger



Max Turner

TODAY YOU ARE YOU. THAT IS TRUER THAN TRUE. THERE IS NO ONE ALIVE WHO IS YOUER THAN YOU. Dr. Seuss

Max, what a joy and a gift to watch you be you!

We are so proud of you and love you so much! What an exciting

journey that lies ahead!

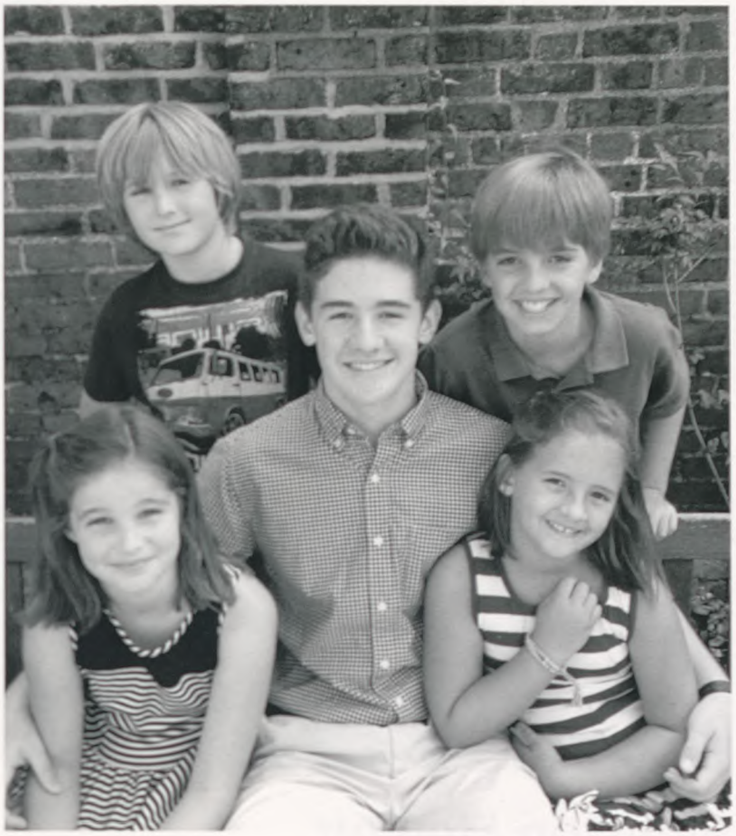
Joshua 1:9 ....."for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."

William Hall

"Twenty years form now you will be more disappointed by the things you didn't do than by the ones you did do. So throw off the bowlines. Sail away from the safe harbor. Catch the trade winds in your sails. Explore. Dream. Discover." - Mark Twain

But they that wait upon the LORD shall renew *their* strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; *and* they shall walk, and not faint." - Isaiah 40:31

We Love You



Jamie Payne

Gentleman, Scholar, Athlete, Artist.

We are so proud of you and love you so much!

Mom, Dad, Brown & Susanna

Winston Hewett

Congratulations Winston!

We are so proud of all that you have accomplished. It has given us great joy watching you grow into this fine young man. Your humility, kindness, and quiet confidence will serve you well in your journey in life. Believe in your dreams, give it your best, and keep laughing.

With Love Always, Dad, Mom, Carson & Trevey

"I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Philippians 4:13

Bronson Bell

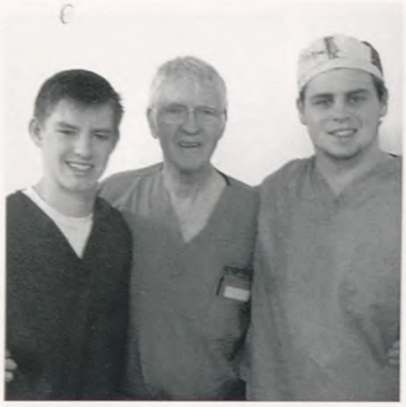
You will never know how proud we are of your accomplishments at MBA. You bring so much Joy to our family.

"Trust on the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. In all ways acknowledge Him and HE shall direct your paths "

Proverbs 3: 5-6

We love you so very much,

Mom , Dad and Weston



David Gaw

"The Lord your God is with you; he is mighty to save. He will take great delight in you; he will quiet you with his love; he will rejoice over you with singing!" Zephaniah 3:17

With love AND anticipation of what wonderful plans God has for you!

Mom and Dad, Margaret, Daniel, and Ruthie

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Love always, Mom, Dad, Corbin and Caroline

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